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Behind the Rostow Dismissal: A Faulty U.S.-Soviet Missile 'Agreement'

Reagan administration officials say that U.S. and Soviet negotiators worked out an informal agreement last July on limiting each side's me dium-range missiles in Europe, but that the accord was rejected by

both Washington and Mostow.

The private, informal agreement by Paul H. Nitze and Yuli A. Kvitsinsky in Geneva led to a White tow, until last week the director of on medium-range missiles in Euthe Arms-Control and Disarma-rope, let it be known privately as ment Agency, according to the officials. A senior State Department lieved the United States should ex-

William P. Clark, the national security adviser, in a memo to Secretary of State George P. Shultz, for exceeding his authority in both the Geneva compromise and in a private meeting he held in Vienna with the head of the Soviet delegation to the East-West-talks on reducing conventional forces. At that

on orders of President Ronald force in Europe.

section officials of the White House, State Department, the following chain of events was disclosed. Mr. Nitze, who Mr. Reagan said

Friday retains his confidence as the chief negotiator in seeking limits plore ways of seeking a compro-mise with the Soviet Union, even if Mr. Rostow was admonished by it meant abandoning Mr. Reagan's William P. Clark, the national se- "zero-zero solution."

Mr. Reagan proposed in 1981 that the United States would forgo. deployment of 572 new cruise and Pershing-2 missiles late this year if the Soviet Union dismantled its ap-proximately 340 SS-20 missiles, each of which carries three war-

By Bernard Gwertzman The two episodes have been the United States dropped the tion — 108 Pershings and 464 Rostow began to wonder, his aides cause it was so favorable to the firmer control of the arms control New York Times Service Control by Mr. Rostow's supporters plans for the new missiles. More recruise missiles. Mr. Nitze and Mr. said, whether the Soviet Union was Western position. New York Times Service cruise missiles Mr. Rostow's supporters plans for the new missiles. More re-WASHINGTON — Senior and centres alike as part of the real centry. Yuri V. Andropov, the Sovison he was dismissed Wednesday et leader, proposed reducing the accord could provide the basis for

> Reagan In July, senior officials said, Mr.
> In interviews in recent days with Nitze and Mr. Kvitsinsky, in privale sessions away from the negotithe arms control agency and the ating table, discussed a compromise. Mr. Nitze was working on the assumption that his negotiating instructions permitted him to probe for changes in the other side's position, but some State Department officials said he went too

> > Mr. Rostow, on a trip to Europe, conferred with Mr. Nitze; both agreed that the zero-zero approach was not working and that Mr. Nitze should explore other alternarives. The result was a joint agreement in which the two sides would agree that the number of Soviet missiles be sharply reduced. Officials would not provide exact de-tails, but they said the total was between 50 and 100.

Some Pershings and cruises would be deployed, but not as The Russians officially proposed many as the total planned by the cutting their force to 300 missiles if North Atlantic Treaty Organiza-

a more formal agreement but that both were working without the authority of their governments.

Mr. Rostow then went to Vienna to confer with Richard F. Staar, official learned of what was bapthe chief negotiator at the conventional forces talks, who was also dismissed last week. An aide to Mr. Rostow said that Valerian V. Mikhailov, the Soviet representative to the talks, insisted on a meeting with Mr. Rostow. At lunch, attended also by Mr. Staar, Mr. Mikhailov surprised the Americans, a participent said, by offering what he said were "private" thoughts on resolving differences.

According to the official, Mr. Rostow said be was not an expert on the matter and assigned an aide to work out with Mr. Mikhailov's assistant a written version of these "private" ideas. The details were

about to seek agreements across the board.

Because of the delicacy of the matter, Mr. Rostow did not cable Washington with information on the developments. No senior U.S. officials said.

Mr. Rostow then told Mr. Shultz and Mr. Clark of the developments. State Department officials said arms control experts were startled by what they regarded as Mr. Rostow's free-wheeling attitude.

A senior State Department official said: "A mythology may be created in Europe about all this, that somehow Rostow and Nitze negotiated a breakthrough that Neanderthals in Washington blocked." The official insisted that the agreement was "very faulty" and would never have been ap-

said that Mr. Rostow, when he was first hired by Mr. Rezgan, was told hy Richard V. Allen, then the president's national security adviser. that he would have direct access to the president and would not have pening before Mr. Rostow re-turned from Europe in late July. State, then Alexander M. Haig Jr. This produced considerable irritation on the part of Mr. Haig, who noted that the arms control agency's statutes require the agency director to work "under the direction" of the secretary of state, offi-

cials said. Some State Department arms control agency officials said they were still curious about what went on in Moscow. They said that they found it inconceivable that Mr. Kvitsinsky could have done what he did without authority; that the switched signals may have reflected disagreement in the Kremlin in the last months of Leonid I. Brezhnev's life.

field and criticizing Mr. Rostow A senior White House official and Mr. Nitze at least indirectly, Mr. Rostow's aides said that Mr. Rostow and Mr. Shultz discussed the memo and Mr. Rostow explained his side of what had hap-

> State Department officials said that Mr. Shultz was unhappy with way the arms control negotiations were being managed, although he recognized that an experienced negotiator should have flexibility to probe the other side's position.

> State Department and White House officials said that the episodes contributed to Mr. Rostow's removal, but that, in recent weeks. the controversy over Mr. Rostow's insistence that his aide. Robert T. Grev, be confirmed over the objection of Senate conservatives began to lead the White House to seek a

There is considerable speculation about Mr. Nitze's future. He structions, perhaps in the expecta-has declined, through an aide, to tion that, with Mr. Shultz in charge As the result of the talks being has declined, through an aide, to held in Geneva by Mr. Nitze with Mr. Kvitsinsky and of the new ideas offered by Mr. Mikhailov, Mr. was rejected by the Russians bear offered by Mr. Mikhailov, Mr. was rejected by the Russians bear offered by Mr. Sbultz asking him to take has declined, through an aide, to discuss the matter publicly. Some officials close to Mr. Rostow predicted that Mr. Nitze would resign



Eugene V. Rostow

in a few months if there was no

But some State Department officials say Mr. Nitze is a veteran negotiator who believes strongly in the importance of an agreement and is willing to stick with his inof arms control affairs, there will

Reagan, as Support Wanes, Focuses on Women, Blacks

By Steven R. Weisman

WASHINGTON — At the urging of advisers who fear that his re-election may be in jeopardy, Presi-dent Ronald Reagan has begin a series of program changes and initiatives to shore up his low political standing among blacks, the onem-

ployed and especially women. White House officials said in in-terviews last week that Mr. Reagan plans to use his State of the Union address Jan. 25 to assail discrimination against women in pensions and insurance and to seek tougher enforcement against delinquency in child support and alimony pay-

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According to the officials, Mr. Reagan is studying the possibility of legislation in those areas, which have received little attention from.

new incentives for the employment gesture to blacks, he plans to visit of "displaced homemakers," wom- an all-black parochial school in

ket after being widowed or di-

incentives for businesses to hire the long-term nnemployed, unem-ployed youth and those ont of work because of declining indus-tries in the Northeast and Midwest.

. The most visible recent action directed at women was the selection of the administration's first two women to head cabinet agen-

The two were Elizabeth H. Dole, a White House assistant for liaison with constituent groups, who was appointed transportation secretary, ret M. Heckler of Massachusetts, appointed secretary of health and nan services:

Mr. Reagan devoted his weekly live-ministe radio address Saturday him in the past two years.

to a tribute to Martin Luther King Mr. Reagan reportedly was also from what would have been Mr. studying the possibility of seeking King's 54th birthday, in another en who are thrust into the job mar- Chicago on Wednesday.

These and other initiatives come orced. at a time of rising concern among
He is also expected to call for Mr. Reagan's aides that he is losing ground among groups whose sup-port he needs if he decides to run

> A close political adviser said Mr. Reagan's support among workingclass voters was "scattering

A Gallup Poll released Saturday indicated that only 36 percent of all women approve of Mr. Reagau's job performance. Various poll figures are sharply lower than that for single women and working women, and Republican strategists say that the trend cost the party several key elections in November. Several White House officials nd they feared that Mr. Reagan's

failure to move faster to strengthen

his support among women and blue-collar workers was being seen among Republican Party professionals as a sign that he might not run for re-election. A key aide to Mr. Reagan indicated that there was disappointment among several aides that the president's budget for the fiscal year 1984, which is to be made

more initiatives to help the unem-But the aide said he and others were encouraged with the initiatives for women in the pension, insurance and workers' rights area,

sublic Jan. 31, does not contain

which are a product of a coordinat-ing group headed by Mrs. Dole. The appointment of Faith Whittlesey, ambassador to Switzerland, to the White House liaison post beld by Mrs. Dole was regarded as encouraging by Reagan aides.

Mrs. Whittlesey's selection was said to be significant in another way: She is in favor of the right to have an abottion, a fact that White House aides said would probably for the new chancellor, Helmut have prevented her from getting the job two years ago.

Reagan aides as a significant rea-son for his low ratings among Mr. Kohl may women. They said the president statesmanship bonus. But, as dewould not change his view. Kathy Wilson, director of the

National Women's Political Caucus, said she detected a real shift at the White House. Some legislative gains are cited by White House aides in the wom-

en's area, although Mr. Reagan himself did not get involved in

In the appointments area, Helene Von Damm, the White pointments had gone to women.



Andrei A. Gromyko, the Soviet foreign minister, addressing the press after his arrival Sunday in Bonn. At right is Hans-Dietrich Genscher, the West German foreign minister.

Gromyko Visits Fertile Territory 'Peace Offensive' Taken to Bonn Amid Campaign

By James M. Markham New York Times Service

BONN - The Soviet foreign minister, Andrei A. Gromyko, arrived Sunday in West Germany, where a momentous election campaign is gathering steam.
Some weeks back, the Gromyko

visit looked like a nice opportunity Kohl, to demonstrate that his conservative Christian Democrats Mr. Reagan's strong opposition could deal with the Soviet Umon, to abortion and the Equal Rights showing continuity in policies Amendment are acknowledged by staked out by Helmut Schmidt's

Mr. Kohl may still reap this bate quickens regarding deploy-ment of American medium-range missiles in West Germany, Mr. Gromyko's first sally to the West since Yuri V. Andropov came to power looks like an even better op-portunity for Moscow to push its

latest "peace offensive." The foreign minister can woo West German public opinion and portray the new Soviet leadership as profoundly interested in an arms limitation agreement with the House personnel director, said that United States. Countering Mos-13 percent of Mr. Reagan's ap-cow's offensive, President Ronald Reagan has announced he will

dispatch Vice President George ganization would cancel deploy-Bush to Western Europe on a simi- ment of medium-range missiles this lar errand of peace later this year if the Russians agreed to dis-

Mr. Gromyko comes to fertile siles aimed at Western Europe. territory. Last week, the first cracks in Mr. Kohl's coalition opened on that the zero option strategy would the missile issue. And Hans-Jochen only be effective if the allies muf-led their doubts and stood behind

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er, came home from image-burnishing visits to Washington and Moscow saying the Reagan administration ought to make concessions in the Geneva arms talks and limning a few proposals that Mr. Andropov spelled out to him dur-ing a two-and-a-balf-bour conversation. Mr. Reagan allotted only 20 minutes for Mr. Vogel, who has an outside chance of becoming chan-cellor after the March 6 election. Last week, Pravda showed its sympathies in the race, accusing the Christian Democrats of backing

Washington's aggressive course." Until a few days ago, Mr. Kohl's team was doing an admirable job of bolding fast to the Reagan administration's "zero option" nego-tiating posture. Under the zero op-tion, the North Atlantic Treaty Or-(Continued on Page 2, Col. 4)

mantle their SS-20s and other mis-

fled their doubts and stood behind it. The Social Democrats, thrown out of power in October and armed with polls showing most West Ger-mans oppose the NATO missiles. were the first to voice their doubts. Mr. Vogel said last week he had found new indications of flexibility

in Moscow. Last week, Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher subtly broke ranks with the government coalition and, out on the stump. talked about an "interim result" at Geneva short of the zero option. Ir-ritated, Chancellor Kohl pulled Mr. Genscher back into line, and the foreign minister was obliged to recant his heresy. But it is not certain that the anxious Free Democrats will stay on board. The episode suggests how soft and malle-able political support is for the missiles. The Social Democrats fear

Rome, is not an official position. et foreign minister, Andrei A. Gromyko, and during the tour of NATO capitals that Vice President

In West Germany, major elements of the Social Democratic Pany, which is seeking to return to power in the March 6 national elecions, favor solutions in which all abandoned if the Soviet Union cut its present total of more than 900 warheads on about 300 SS-20 mis-

plus" line, is rejected, as it has been by the governing coalition of Chris-

Interest in Cutting NATO Deployment

Bonn, Rome Show

By John Vinocur New York Times Service

ROME - Interest is growing within the Italian and West German governments for a so-called nuclear missiles at the end of the

In practical terms, this means there is increased receptiveness in these countries to the potion that the North Atlantic Treaty Organization can reduce the number of U.S. missiles it plans to deploy if there is Soviet willingness to reduce its total of SS-20 missiles aimed at

missiles if the Soviet Union scraps its SS-20s — because hope is still expressed that both sides could reduce their totals to zero in negotiations during the next four or vears.

from a bargaining situation in which the Soviet Union would be ity. required to junk all its \$\$-20s to

reach any kind of early agreement Buffalini, a central committee on limiting medium-range weap- member, said deployment was The modification in approach, apparent in conversations last week with defense, party and gov-

ernment officials in Bonn and But it will be an important element influencing conversations starting Monday between the West German government and the Sovi-

George Bush of the United States will begin Jan. 30.

In Italy, where a Socialist is defense minister in the coalition gov-erument, this approach, described in Rome as the "West zero, East

tian Democrats and Free Democrats in Bonn. In both governments, there re-mains considerable conviction that,

failing to negotiate a Soviet reduc-"interim solution" on the deploy- tion to zero. Western European ment of new NATO medium-range unwillingness to deploy at all would be regarded in the United States as a sign that Europe was incapable of taking steps to counter Soviet superiority and as a signal to some segments of U.S. opinion that Europe was no longer worth defending.

The situations in the two countries illustrate some of the complexities that the United States must work with to developing its negotiating position when U.S.-So-Semantically, at least this does not signify abondooing NATO's position — offering to cancel plans to install 572 Pershing-2 and cruise to the two delegations there before to the two delegations there before traveling to the NATO capitals.

In Italy, public resistance to deand anti-missile demonstrations have tapered off. No major party rejects the idea of the country's accepting cruise missiles. The Comficials in Rome and Bonn, the munist Party, although demonthinking does represent a substan- strating against them, has maintive change in that it implies move- usinced, by the standards of the ment by the United States away West German opposition to the missiles, a careful type of ambigu-

> In an interview last week, Paolo theoretically possible" and that the party's reasoning about it was based on the "necessity for a balance of forces and equal security," phrases that mean in the domestic political context that the party can accept the weapons without a pitched battle.

Some public opinion polls in West Germany suggest that a majority of West Germans do not want new missiles, but Bonn says the questions in the most recent poll were deliberately phrased to prompt negative answers.

A canvass in Italy last week about general attitudes toward defense found that 61 percent of the people responding felt insufficientprotected by the armed forces.

Discussing the problems Italy might encounter in trying to put the missiles in place, Falco Accame, the Socialist Party's parliamentary spokesman on defense, said, "I just don't think there are

Mr. Accame, who stands considerably to the left of the Socialist defense minister, Lelio Lagorio.

OPEC to Meet Sunday on Quotas; Yamani Sees Chance of an Accord

President Ronald Reagan at a recent news conference.

BAHRAIN — Eight OPEC min- discounting prices to increase sales. isters agreed Sunday to hold an might fall into line. "I think they emergency meeting of the Organi-will be reasonable," he said zation of Petroleum Exporting The meeting in Geneva would Countries next Sunday in Geneva Countries next Sanday in Geneva come just a month after ministers to head off a possible collapse in raised the overall OPEC produc-

Saudi Arabia's oil minister said there was a good chance that an agreement would be reached on sharing the dwindling oil market.

The Sandi minister, Sheikh Ahmed Zaki Yamani, said after the tion ceiling to 18.5 million barrels a ministers met in Bahrain that, at day but failed to agree on individunext week's full ministerial meet- al quotas. ing, "there is a good chance, really, this time. We might be able to start

to do it. We hope."

Iraq's oil minister, Qassem Ahmed Taqi said Sunday that what he called the rule-abiding majority in OPEC might cut prices to restore flagging sales unless other members stopped breaking price and production accords.

countries reported to have been

The possibility of a sharp drop in oil prices raises thorny issues for the United States. Page 3.

The talks in Bahrain were at-

tended by ministers from Indonesia, Qatar, the United Arab Emirates, Kuwait, Nigeria, Saudi Arabia and Iraq. Kamel Hasan al-Machour of Libya, who arrived too late for the meeting, met with some ministers Sunday.

OPEC faces what ministers have affairs. Abdul-Aziz Hussein, said The OPEC president, Mallam called its gravest crisis, as some after a cabinet meeting however, Yahaya Dikko of Nigeria, said he members have undercut the official that Kuwait was not seeking a believed that Libya, one of the benchmark price of \$34 a barrel to price cut.

take more of a market that is dwin-

dling because of the recession. The price dispute, coupled with rising production by non-OPEC members such as Britain and Mexico, has pushed the spot market price well below \$34.

Mana Said al-Oteiba, oil minister of the United Arab Emirates, said after the meeting in Bahrain that the chances of agreeing on quotas were greater now because all members were feeling the effects of the weak market. He said A mixture of politics and oil the solution was to limit produc-

tion and perhaps even reduce it. Kuwait warned Sunday that any further cut in its production would affect its petrochemicals production and its budget, Industry experts say Kuwait's daily produc-tion has fallen to less than 800,000 barrels from its ceiling of 1.25 mil-

Lebanon. Page 2. The minister of state for cabinet

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A Soviet scientist has announced that any fallout produced when part of the Cos-mos-1,402 satellite hits Earth's atmosphere in February would be within safe limits. Page 2.

■ President Reagan's advisory commission on Social Security bas approved a rescue plan to keep the retirement system from default. Page 3.

An Austrian arms dealer whose name has been mentioned in connection with the pistol used in the attempt on the life of Pope John Paul II was arrested in Vienna. Page 5.

is likely to keep the British pound wobbly, according to an-President Reagan is committed to keeping U.S. Marines in

A meeting of the military presidents of Brazil and Argentina appears to have moved the two regional giants from past estrangement toward coopera-

Paris Talks Open on Increasing IMF Funding

By Carl Gewittz International Herald Tribune PARIS - The first of a series of international meetings opened here Sunday aimed specifically at rein-

forcing the resources of the International Monetary Fund to relieve goal for the past two years. the debt crisis of developing countries and more generally at reviving world economic growth. The three days of technical meet-

ings this week involve central bank governors, treasury officials and, on Tuesday, finance ministers and treasury secretaries of the major industrialized countries known as the Group of 10. The sessions are the prelude to the policy-directing economic summit meeting of the seven bank governors and senior treasury major powers in Williamsburg, Virginia, on May 27.

This week's meetings. Jacques Delors, the French finance minister, said at a press briefing last that countries that have adjusted week, are designed to beighten the are in a position to expand and awareness of officials to the link ought to be doing so, and added pin the dollar. between economic conditions in the industrialized countries, the debt problems of the developing world and their impact on world

results in an agreement by the sum- ganization for Economic Coopera- to adopt more stimulative policies. mit countries to redirect policy objectives to emphasize economic growth rather than lighting infla-

tour, a reference to "the virtuous circle of all countries simultaneously cutting back risks ending in a vicious circle of a downward spiral in international trade where everyone is buying and selling less."

At Sunday's meeting of central officials, this view was echoed by Beryl Sprinkel, U.S. undersecretary fairs. He said at a press briefing that the United States is expand-

ing. He said U.S. growth this year, the fourth-quarter rate measured Mr. Delors made clear that he would register 3 percent, broadly in rates and the easing of the dollar

tion and Development. goal for the past two years.

Mr. Delors quoted with approval a remark that he said U.S. Secre
distressingly high \$25 billion to a "distressingly high" \$25 billion to the General Arrangements to Borrow (GAB). The Group of 10 includes six European Community

> A preoccupation of Sunday's pact a deficit of this size might have on the dollar. Mr. Sprinkel told the press that the assumption that the dollar will drop "is a risky

some "temporary weakness" in the its percentage share of the total. exchange rate, but be said that in- For the first time, loans from this of the Treasury for monetary af- centives for capital flows - moder- kitty will be available not just to ate inflation, using corporate profits — would keep investments flow.

the select members of the Group of 10 but to any IMF member couning to the United States and under-To be determined this week is

Sunday's meeting was not a forum to prod other nations to adopt expansionist policies. But there appeared to be broad agreement

hopes this "sensitization orocess" line with the predictions of the Or- created leeway for other countries

This week's meetings are expect-He noted that this growth would ed to result in an agreement to augstimulate imports and catapult the ment the resources of the Group of tary of State George P. Shultz providing a market for the exports members — Belgium, Britain, of other nations.

Britain. France, Italy, the Netherlands and West Germany - and the United meeting was how much of an im- States, Japan, Canada and Sweden,

its resources are expected to be trenled, to about \$20 billion, Saudi Arabia and possibly Kuwait will toin Switzerland as outside contributors, while inside the group West He allowed that there might be Germany will be seeking to reduce

how such lending will take place. The prevailing view is that the IMF should be the only official body to discuss lending to nations in disagainst last year's fourth quarter. that the decline in U.S. toterest tress and that the GAB would sim-(Continued on Page 2, Col. 7)

Russia Says Fuel Core

Will Fall in February

With Little Radiation

By Serge Schmemann New York Times Service MOSCOW - A senior Soviet sci-

entist has announced on national

television that the nuclear fuel core

of the Cosmos-1,402 satellite would

plunge into Earth's atmosphere in mid-February, but he assured viewers that any fallout would be

In his explanation, Oleg M. Be-lotserkovsky, director of the Mos-cow Physico-Technical Institute, seemed to change the Soviet posi-

tion from previous assurances that the satellite's radioactive fuel core

would completely burn up in the atmosphere. Instead, the scientist said Saturday, any "finely divided particles" reaching Earth would be within internationally agreed safety

"Should these particles fall out to Earth, the radiation situation

will be within the limits recom-

mended by the International Com-

mission on Radiological Protec-

tion," a United Nations body that studied the issue, he said.

body of the satellite on command

Mr. Belotserkovsky also made

the first Soviet acknowledgment

that normally the reactor and spent

fuel of nuclear-powered satellites

are boosted to a higher, long-term orbit on completion of their mis-

sion. But his statement gave the im-

pression that the failure had been

envisioned and that the satellite

was following a contingency proce-

dure for disposing of radioactive

Mr. Belotserkovsky's detailed ex-mid-February this year.

He gave no indication of the size or possible re-entry trajectory of the radioactive segment, which he said was separated from the main

within safe limits.

planation of the plight of Cosmos-1,402 in prime-time viewing hours suggested that Soviet leaders were

considerably more anxious about

the satellite than their earlier as-

In effect, he confirmed the basic assertions of experts in the United

States, who warned earlier this month that the craft, which they

identified as a military reconnais sance satellite, had malfunctioned and that its nuclear components would fall to the Earth.

U.S. experts have noted that when a similar satellite with a similar

lar reactor. Cosmos-954, plunged

into the atmosphere in 1978, sever-

al radioactive fragments landed in Canada's Northwest Territories. The cleanup took months and cost

about \$6 million, part of which was claimed from the Soviet Union.

United States, Britain and Sweden.

have set up special teams to moni-tor the progress of Cosmos-1,402. Contingency plans are being re-viewed for finding and recovering

radioactive fragments in the event

Mr. Belotserkovsky, who did not

explain the mission of the satellite, said that Cosmos-1,402 completed

its work Dec. 28 and was separated

on command into three parts. One

of these parts re-entered the atmosphere and hurned up Dec. 30, he said, adding that the two remaining

parts consisted of the main section

of the satellite and the fuel core of

"According to preliminary calcu-lations," he said, "the main part of the satellite structure will enter the

dense layers of the atmosphere late

in January, and the fuel core in

Several nations, including the

surances had indicated.



THE MOSCOW CONNECTION - Four former U.S. ambassadors to Moscow talked at a Moscow correspondents' reunion at New York's Overseas Press Club. They are, from left: Thomas J. Watson Jr., ambassador from 1979 to 1981; Malcolm Toon, 1976-79; Jacob D. Beam, 1969-72, and Walter J. Stoessel Jr., 1974-76.

'Abramowitz Affair' Seen as Test Of Shultz Attempt to Mend Fences

By John M. Goshko

WASHINGTON - When President Ronald Reagan announced his shake-up of top arms control officials, the name of Morton I. Ahramowitz received only second-

ary billing.
But the choice of the veteran diplomat to be chief U.S. negotiator at the Mutual and Balanced Force Reduction Talks in Vienna involves a potentially important issue in the relationship between Secretary of State George P. Shultz and the career Foreign Service.

and who thus should be regarded as suspect by the Reagan administration.

Within the service, what is known as the "Ahramowitz affair" has been watched closely as a test of whether Mr. Shultz is willing to use his clout to protect career offcers from the intrigues and purges that are the frequent by-products of changes in administration.

When Mr. Shultz took office last of changes in administration.

The career of Mr. Abramowitz, a diplomat for 22 years and the former ambassador to Thailand, was cast into limbo more than a year ago when Mr. Shultz's predecessor, Alexander M. Haig Jr., tentatively chose him for the top Asia policy post of assistant secretary of state for East Asian and Pacific affairs. Mr. Ahramowitz never got the

chose him: ambassador to In-In both cases, it later became ing better work incentives for ca-known, the appointments were de-

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also said there could be no "West

zero. Soviet plus" outcome to the

At the same, he said the Soviet

Union would logically have to be

allowed to maintain some of its

medium-range missile capability

and that British and French nucle-

ar forces should be considered in

the general accounting. Yuri V. Andropov, the Soviet leader, has demanded that the British and

French forces be taken into ac-

This position is not that of the

government, but the cascade of

suggestions from Mr. Andropov in-

dicating movement on the medi-

um-range issue, and the prohability

of elections this spring in Italy

have required Italian leaders to of-

Foreign Minister Emilio Colom-

bo has spoken of moving toward

the "zero solution" in intermediate

steps. This appears to represent in-

terest in an interim agreement scal-

ing down deployment in relation to

more complicated in Bonn, where

the missile issue is an obsessional one and where some U.S. officials

question whether the missiles can

Although no one in a half-dozen

conversations in Rome thought vi-

olence was likely in Italy in an at-

tempt to hinder deployment, a coa-

lition of anti-nuclear groups in West Germany has announced

campaigns of civil disobedience to

stop deployment.
The government of Chancellor

Helmut Kohl is trying to appear

the best Soviet offer.

actually be stationed.

Geneva talks.

for which Mr. Haig subsequently

job. Nor did he get another post

railed by a campaign orchestrated

But, sources added. Mr. Shultz
by elements in the Pentagon and
was always aware that if his efforts Central Intelligence Agency, with the encouragement of congression-

Stripped to its essentials, the case presented by his enemies was that Mr. Ahramowitz, who had worked on several controversial policy issues during the Carter administration, was a man whose political philosophy is akin to McGovern, Muskie and Mondale" and who thus should be regarded

In the Foreign Service, what happened to Mr. Ahramowitz has been viewed as a case of a professional officer conscientiously carrying out the policies of a president, then, under a new president, being

summer he was being watched closely for signs of what he would do to right the injustice and to insulate the State Department from similar incidents.

One of his first moves was to ease out Richard T. Kennedy. undersecretary for management, who was widely regarded by professional officers as insensitive and inat-tentive to personnel problems, and talks, which have been given rereplace him with Jerome W. Van Gorkom, a Chicago businessman, who has been charged with devis-

working out a solution with Mos- sion

official policy statement. It reaf- plus, West zero agreement."

liance would examine the extent of than 10 minutes.

um-range missiles in Europe as the expresses interest in deploying

Bonn's interest in potential cuts in German position on a compromise

the size of the deployment if a mea- at Geneva other than the idea that

accompanied on his trips by Egon
Bahr, the party official responsible
Vogel Puts Onus on U.S.

for disarmament issues and a man

Mr. Vogel indicated in an interdescribed hy Mr. Schmidt in 1980

as someone who knew next to would refuse to deploy U.S. mis-

Mr. Bahr is suggesting a three-thought Washington was blocking

to five-month moratorium on de-ployment at the end of the year, a factic that his opponents say was

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The pressure on Mr. Kohl to

im agreement was at hand.

were to win credibility be had to do something about Mr. Abramowitz. "He wasn't about to make a fn-

tile gesture that would see him shatter his lance to no avail." a source said, "hut he was determined to correct the situation in a way that would send the appropriate signal."

Mr. Shultz had to navigate several mine fields.

For one thing there have been persistent suggestions that anti-Semitism was a factor in the attacks on Mr. Abramowitz, While also say there is a message in the fact that Mr. Shultz chose Paul Wolfowitz, who is also Jewish, for the assistant secretary job that had been denied to Mr. Abramowitz.

Finally, there was the question of whether Mr. Shultz would be president back his move.

The tentative answer came Wednesday, when Mr. Reagan an-nounced that Mr. Abramowitz newed emphasis.

For the Foreign Service, a more definitive answer will be available when Mr. Abramowitz goes before the Senate for confirmation.

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A third Social Democratic group

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nations Sunday to increase their

defenses and declared that, despite

protests. Britain would deploy U.S.

before progress could be made on

Press reported from London.

limiting nuclear weapons.

■ U.K. Favors Deployment

Bonn, Rome Interested in Missile Cuts both true to NATO's agreed nego- not only rejected by a Social Dem-

uating position and active in in- octatic Party convention a year ago fluencing the United States in but undermines the NATO deci-The government's interest in cratic parliamentary spokesman on some variety of interim agreement foreign and security issues, said became apparent Wednesday in an flatly. "I'm in favor of a Soviet

talks. But it pointed to a phrase in which are particularly upsetting to the text of the 1979 NATO state-"We recognize that it is a situament on deployment saying the altime from West Germany is less In explaining the government's position. Alois Mertes, minister of

Bonn Is Fertile Territory Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher of Britain urged Western For the 'Peace Offensive'

cruise missiles. The Associated tation with the Soviet Union: the ically crippled, their hosts were in-Mrs. Thatcher stressed in a tele-Free Democrats are looking for clined to see a more stable nation votes. This is good news for Mr. whose aggressiveness stemmed imvision interview that the Kremlin would have to make concessions

When Mr. Kohl became chancel-lor just over 100 days ago, some
The defining issue of these con-people in the Reagan administra-trasting analyses has been Eastlearned differently at a seminar makers shudder.
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ny in a position of active confrontarily aggressive, although economistic active confrontarily aggressive. portantly from a sense of insecuri-

tion rejoiced at the thought that West trade. Rhetoric out of Wash-Bonn finally had a government ington about destabilizing the Sovi-that would take a tough line with et Union through trade sanctions Moscow. Administration officials has made West German policy-

> ic relations with the East mean," senior West German official said. "We really believe that well-balanced economic relationships are a stabilizing element and something that is good in itself."
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> Mr. Kohl lined up with other

West Europeans in opposing the Reagan administration on the trans-Siberian pipeline sanctions, and Washington retreated into a face-saving formula, shelving the issue. Now, with a difficult cam-paign ahead, Mr. Kohl wants to come down on the winning side of the debate about the best tack to take in Geneva. His Christian Democrats could end up badly isolated if the United States made concessions at Geneva before the March 6 vote. The upheaval in the Reagan arms negotiating team last week did nothing to reassure Bonn

that the American course is set, or Mr. Gromyko, by contrast, is utterly predictable. Bonn officials expect that he will use his visit to re-new the Warsaw Pact call for a nonaggression treaty with NATO and to embroider on Mr. Andropov's latest arms-reduction proposals. The main beneficiary of this message may turn out to be not Mr. Kohl, but rather Mr. Vogel.

and leader of Israel's delegation at the talks with Lebanon.

tions continue, the radio said,

The radio quoted Mr. Begin as telling his cahinet Sunday that while President Ronald Reagan

nese border

nese Factions Battle Fighting broke out Sunday in the Israeli-controlled Aley mountains east of Beirut, ending a short-lived cease-fire between Christian and Druze combatants, security sources told United Press Interna-

They said incidents of sniper fire escalated into artillery and mortar exchanges across sections of the

Suspected Terrorist

MILAN - Sergio Segio, a reputed leader of the Front Line leftist or quotas. A meeting of the IMF's that it will continue to work



The car driven by Stephen Waldorf in a London street, with bullet holes in the result window. Mr. Waldorf was critically wounded when police mistakenly shot at him Police Suspended in London Shooting T. 1. T. 1.

LONDON - Three London policemen who shot and critically wounded an innocent man have

shot and critically wounded an innocent man have been suspended pending the outcome of an official police inquiry, a Scotland Yard spokesman said.

Stephen Waldorf, 26, a freelance film editor, was hit by five bullets as he sat in his car in a traffic jam in London's Kensington district in a traffic jam in London's Kensington district he was taken to a hospital, where he reportedly underwent surgery for hullet wounds in the chest, liver and arms. Mr. Waldorf remained in critical condition Sunday. condition Sunday.

A woman in the car, Sue Stevens, 25, suffered a slight bullet wound on her back. The police re-leased her Friday after questioning.

The police acknowledged Sunday that the shooting was a "tragic case of mistaken identity." They said the officers had thought Mr. Waldorf was David Martin, who is being sought on charges of at-tempted murder of a police officer. Mr. Martin escaped from a London court holding area on Dec. 24.

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The Sunday Times said a shot fired to immobilize Mr. Waldorf's car may have triggered the shooting. Quoting senior police officers, the newspaper said the policemen had thought the shot aimed at a tire, had been fired at them from the car. The police declined comment on the report.

On Saturday Home of Mr. Marini and the shot aimed at a tire, had been fired at them from the car. The police declined comment on the report.

On Saturday, Home Secretary William Whitelaw demanded a report on the incident from Secretary Kenneth Newman, the Scotland Yard commands.

A Scotland Yard spokesman said three police of the scotland Yard spokesman said three scotland Yard spok cers had been suspended pending the outcome of

Opposition parties strongly criticized the shooting. "London is not Chicago," said William Pin a Liberal Party spokesman on domestic affairs. K-Labor Party spokesman. Roy Hattersley, said the shooting "raised fundamental questions of police

Reagan Sees No Imminent Danger department sources say it was not the primary consideration, they also say there is a message in the

four months, without any major in-

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ning had begun on bow best to in-

crease the U.S. presence in Leba-non by one battalion if Mr. Reagan

agreed to a request by President Amin Gemayel for additional U.S.

Mr. Speakes said be had no com-ment about additional U.S. forces entering Lebanon but said Mr. Reagan was convinced of the need

to keep the force there "as long as

necessary to ensure stability in the

Lebanese government"

A Pentagon official said plan-

produce a major incident'

By Juan Williams

WASHINGTON - President Ronald Reagan is committed to keeping U.S. marines in Lebanon willing to risk a fight with the as part of the multinational peace-forces that had opposed Mr. Ahra-mowitz earlier and to insist that the nent danger in doing so, the White as part of the multinational peacenent danger in doing so, the White louse has announced.

In response to a report that U.S. military officials are concerned that the marines could become involved in fighting, Larry M. Speakes, the deputy White House press secretary, said Saturday that no U.S. military officials have indicated to Mr. Reagan any increased likelihood that such fighting may

hreak out. Military leaders said Friday that they feared that the extended stay months, added to the chances of incidents that could accidentally

touch off military action. The marines entered Lebanon for the second time last year on Sept. 28, and 1,200 troops are now stationed on the ground there and 600 on five ships off shore. Administration officials had predicted that the marines would be out of

Lebanon by the end of 1982. Marine officials are considering placing all of the U.S. troops aboard ships to get them out of drawal of Israeli, Syrian and Palesheavily armed Lebanon.

tion that is not completely free of night with a three-man team set up danger." Mr. Speakes said. "But hy Prime Minister Menachem Bethen again, it is not fraught with gin's cabinet to discuss speeding up

conflict because they have been The three members of the team

"We don't anticipate any major sume Monday near Beirut.

there for however long, three to are Foreign Minister Yitzhak

Habib in Israel to Press For Accelerated Talks

Last week, Israel and Lebanon agreement on such a deadline.

of withdrawal.

bib, the U.S. special envoy to the Mideast, returned to Jerusalem on

Sunday to press for accelerated nelinian forces from Lebanon. Mr. Hahih was to confer Sunday

the negotiations, which were to re-

tor-general of the Foreign Ministry

agreed on an agenda for negotiat-

United States, Italy and France.

Lebanese officials said last

troops be withdrawn from Leba-

non by Feb. 15. On Friday, there

were unconfirmed reports that Philip C. Habib, the U.S. special envoy, had set Feb. 12 for the start

White House officials said Satur-

day they had not been told of

According to Israeli state radio, Mr. Habib and the cabinet team were to work out principles for the puliout of Israel's 30,000 troops

Habib had suggested moving the negotiations to Washington in or- Israeli Panel Hears Final Testimon der to speed them up.

was urging faster progress in the talks, he had not blamed Israel for the slow pace.

According to Israeli radio's diplomatic correspondent, Washinginstallations. Syria would make similar demands

After three weeks of dispute over an agenda for their talks, Israel and Lebanon last week accepted a U.S. compromise formula that said the talks would discuss "a framework for mutual relations" in addition to troop withdrawal and security arrangements along the Israeli-Leba-

tional in BeiruL Aley mountain range.
The warring factions agreed on a

Is Arrested in Milan The Associated Press

WORLD BRIEFS

Airliner Crash Kills 22 in Ankara

ANKARA - A Turkish Airlines Boeing 727 crashed in thick fog ar snowstorm at Ankara's airport Sunday night. Hospital officials said

ing terms of the withdrawal of Israeli troops from Lebanon. There at least 22 persons were killed and 28 were injured. The airliner, on a flight originating in West Germany, had carried are Israeli, Palestinian and Syrian troops in Lebanon in addition to passengers and eight crew members on the 40-minute hop from Island to Esenboga Airport in Ankara, airport officials said. the multinational force from the

The officials said the rescue operation was completed at 1 a.m. day, but hospital officials said that victims were still being brought; the hospital. Turkey's state-run radio interrupted its regular broads month that they planned to de-mand that Israeli, Syrian and Palestine Liberation Organization to appeal for blood donations.

War Panel Said to Clear Thatcher

LONDON (Reuters) - An official inquiry has found Prime Minis: Margaret Thatcher virtually blameless for her government's failure anticipate Argentina's scizure of the Falkland Islands, British news pers reported Sunday.

A report by the inquiry is to be released Tuesday. The Observer in ing sources who had seen it, said the report offered "modest criticism Lord Carrington, who resigned as foreign secretary when Argentinal's over the islands in April. It added that Mrs. Thatcher was virtually

The Sunday Times said: "Mrs. Thatcher will be directly blamed... little, if anything, in the report," and added that it would not threaten government. "It highlights the breakdown in communication between Ministry of Defense and the Foreign Office, notably over the inva-warnings signaled to the Ministry of Defense in late January," the ite

JERUSALEM — Philip C. HaSharon, and David Kimche, direct China Criticizes Soviet Policy

BEIJING (Reuters) — Soviet policy in Afghanistan was sharply of the cized Sunday by China. The criticism came two days after Beijing, nounced that Chinese and Soviet officials would meet in Moston in the city of the city o March for further talks on improving relations.

The attack in the official Beijing Review was prompted by a Tass pe. agency statement Dec. 31 that the Soviet Union would continue in Table fend Afghanistan account for the Soviet Union would continue in Table 1 from Lebanon. The U.S. envoy fend Afghanistan against foreign armed intervention and that hopes awould then shuttle between change in attitude were illusory. China has recently cited the Sovieting feud Afghanistan against foreign armed intervention and that hopes 4... Jerusalem, Beirut and Damascus tary presence in Afghanistan as a main obstacle to rapprochement. while the Israel-Lebanon negotia- some reports from Moscow late last year hinted at a possible so concession on this point.

A spokesman for Mr. Begin de-nied Israeli press reports that Mr. a warning against having any illusions about Soviet hegemonism."

JERUSALEM (NYT) - The state commission investigating the Bri massacre completed taking testimony Sunday as lawyers for six set officials gave oral summations of their clients' cases.

The lawyers making final oral arguments represented Ariel Sharon defense minister; Lieutenant General Rafael Eiten, the chief of st Major General Amir Drori, head of the Northern Command; Brigat General Amos Yaron, the Beirut division commander; Avi Duta civilian aide to the defense minister, and the head of the Mossad inte

lomatic correspondent. Washington opposes Israel's plan to maintain early-warning stations in southern Lebanon after a withdrawal. The radio quoted Mr. Habib as saying that if Israel had such written symmaticms last week were symmatically and the director of military intelligence, Major General Yehoshna Sag were not represented in the closed session, according to a commission spokesman. He said that Mr. Shamir and General Saguy had submits written symmatical last week. written summations last week.

Judge Slain Outside Ulster Church

BELFAST (UPI) — A gunman shot and killed one of Northern land's leading judges Sunday morning outside a Roman Catholic chur The provisional Irish Republican Army claimed responsibility for

sassination of William Doyle, 55, who was gunned down in his car be left Mass at St. Brigid's Chapel in the normally quiet university at tion of South Belfast. A 72-year-old woman, believed to be a relative Mr. Doyle, was shot in the stomach.

Economic Meetings Open Navo

(Continued from Page 1)

ply be one resource the IMF could use to finance such a loan. A minority view is that the GAB members should decide whether bers should decide whether to ap-prove a loan to a specific outside borrower. Also to be determined is cease-fire Saturday, ending a day what role the Saudi Arabians and, long battle following an Israeli inif they provide funds, the Kuwaitis will play in the deliberations.

Also to be discussed this week is the question of augmenting the re-sources of the IMF itself. An inonly issue is the size and whether there will be a general shuffling of member countries' contributions, we can be reasonably optimis ed leader of the Front Line leftst guerrilla group and a suspect in 14 Interim Committee, a 22-nation murders, has been arrested, the police reported.

The strategy is not one of beiling on the banks, which have lent it bulk of the money that cannot not the staff.

the previous schedule and a refl tion of official concern about I IMF's resources to deal with t debt crisis of developing countrie He said that congre ment would be a factor in the U. decision on how much of an Mr. Sprinkel said that the still gy in place to sort out the debt C. crease is a foregone conclusion; the sis of developing countries is we ing "Problems remain," he sai "but the strategy is working at

They said Mr. Segio, 28, was ar-held Feb. 10-11 in Washington. It be repaid, but of setting the state rested Saturday with a woman is expected to approve an increase for banks to continue to provide identified as Daniela Fignii, 21. of at least 40 percent in IMF results to confinue to prove the she was charged with aiding a tersources, to \$94 billion. If the current, accelerated time-

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Panel Offers, Reagan Backs Social Security Rescue Plan

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California Dreaming: Democrats Take a Bow All Dressed Up, a Long Way to Go,

Washington Past Service
SACRAMENTO, California for president, seven Democratic hopefuls came here to audition their talents at the state party con-

Two straw polls of the 1,700 delegates at the session-Saturday re-Tlected the home-state strength of Senator Alan Cranston, who plans to announce his candidacy early next month

But Senator Cranston was equaled or outdone in cheers by for-mer Vice President Walter F. Moudale, the front-runner in current national polls. Both were given favored positions on the morning

. Crowded into the later schedule were Senators John Glenn of Ohio. Hollings of South Carolina and Dale Bumpers of Arkansas, and Representative Morris K. Udall of Arizona. The only absentee among ed at the convention. Senator the active contenders was Reubin Cranston finished far ahead of Mr. Askew, a former governor of Flori-

form in 1985 to a meeting with the Soviet leader, Yuri V. Andropov, to seek a freeze on nuclear weapons production and reductions in existing arms. Senators Cranston,

Parti Ouebecois Applies to Join World Socialists

Quebec has applied for member in the straw poll, also received gen-ship in the Socialist International, erous applause. the workfwide organization of Sobor parties, and its bid was immediately challenged by a member from Canada.

Canada's New Democratic Party, a Social Democratic group that and Senator Bumpers, is already one of the 53 parties in is already one of the 53 parties in

In his prepared text, Senator the organization, made it clear that the country to stay the course, but the country to stay the course, but plication of the separatist Parti

Peter O'Malley, a spokesman for the New Democrats, said his of economic disaster." group's opposition was based on "ideological and constitutional" was discernible in the views of Mr. considerations. He said that "mem-Hart, Mr. Hollings and Mr. Udall ber parties are supposed to be So-Mr. Udall warned that Democrats cial Democratic and national in scope," citing also the recent salary rollback of 350,000 provincial workers and the suspension of their

The Quebec party, while solely provincial, maintains that it repre-sents Canada's French-speaking population, and points out that Socialisi-ruled France has also frozen

7 Stage Early Presidential Drives Mondale and Hart made that By David S. Broder

Although there was bttle news in Four hundred eight days before the first caucus in Iowa, 416 days before the first primary in New Hampshire and 550 days before some Democrat will be nominated Latin American tour for the Senate Foreign Relations Committee.

Party rules changes adopted last year moved the first delegate-selec-tion caucus in lowa back five weeks, to Feb. 27, 1984. The first primary in New Hampshire was forced back a week, to March 6, 1984. The purpose of the changes was to shorten the campaign sea-son that will climax on July 18, 1984, with balloting for the Demo-

But, Mr. Mondale said at a news conference Friday, the need to con-tact thousands of people who participate in primaries and caucuses and to raise campaign money in small amounts from thousands of individuals make it necessary for the Democrats to start campaigning 18 months before the conven-

In the two straw polls conduct-

IIn one, taken on the convention In an eight-hour procession of floor by the state Democratic paralternating speeches and news con- iy, Senator Cranston got 60.3 per-ferences, the rivals yied for original- cent and Mr. Mondale had 23.6

er 20 percent or dents said they were undecided.]

But Mr. Mondale, addressing the convention in an evangelical speak-ing style, won an oratorical victory. Whether he was attacking "special-interest money that is paralyzing our government" or assailing the Reagan administration for "giving tax breaks to the rich and cheese to the poor," Mr. Mondale

seemed able to get the delegates up and cheering almost at will. Mr. Cranston, who had worked harder than anyone else to line up OTTAWA - The mling party of his home-state delegates' support

erous applause. But many of the delegates cialists. Social Democrats and la- seemed more interested in judging the performance of two relative strangers - Senator Glenn and Senator Hart - and the two southern long shots, Senator Hollings

> I say he's flunked the course with failed policies that have brought this country to the brink

A bit of dispute on trade policy "must not drink from that powerful jug marked 'protectionism.' "
and Mr. Hart said at a news conference that at this point, he would oppose legislation sought by labor unions to protect auto industry

But Mr. Hollings, while rejecting protectionism, said. We might raise a barrier or two in order 10

bly and on a bipartism basis, we congressional approval, was an-have agreed to support and work nounced after 12 hours of bargaining between White House aides

washington Post Service.

WASHINGTON — President Democrat, called the plan, approved a rescue plan, hacked by comproved a rescue plan, hacked by could provide \$169 billion in taxing the retirement system from default.

"Each of ns recognizes that this can Representative loc D. Waggoner it includes elements which each of us could not support if they were not part of a bipartisan composite. The agreement white House aides and leaders of the commission. The agreement calls for mandatory Social Security coverage for new federal workers and all employees of nonprofit organizations; necessary payrounder \$169 billion in taxing the retirement system from default. Armstrong, a Colorado Republican; and former it includes elements which each of us could not support if they were not part of a bipartisan compion to helm. The agreement, which will need to go into effect in 1985 and 1990; a sixing benefit increases; and taxation of half the Social Security benefits received by high-income restrees.

The commission has estimated that shall be needed over the next seven years to keep the system solvent. The agreement, which will need a support and tory Social Security coverage for new federal workers and all employees of nonprofit organizations; acceleration of Social Security payround the president and to ployees of nonprofit organizations; acceleration of Social Security payround the president and to ployees of nonprofit organizations; acceleration of Social Security payround to provide \$169 billion in the specific reductions. The only members of the 15-per into effect in 1985 and 1990; a six-increases and benefit reductions conforms were Senator William.

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The commission also has esti-mated that over the next 75 years, the system will face a deficit of 1.8 percent of taxable payroll. The agreement reached Sannday night would wipe out more than two-thirds of this long-range deficit.

Alan Greenspan, chairman of the commission, said that in addi-tion to the president and the speakor the president and the speaker, the compromise had the support of the Senate majority leader, Howard H. Baker Jr., Republican of Tennessee. Senator Robert J. Dole, a Kansas Republican, said he balkand the balkand the said he believed the plan also had the as-sent of Dan Rostenkowski, an Illinois Democrat who heads the House Ways and Means Committee, and Robert H. Michel of Illinois, the House Republican leader.

these provisions: Mandatory Social Security coverage would be extended to new federal employees and to all employees of nonprofit organizations as of Jan. 1, 1984. Federal employees are not covered by Social Security at present on a mandatory basis, although some qualify by work in the private sector, and nonprofit organizations may join if

The basic compromise includes.

 An increase in the Social Security tax, to 7 percent from 6.7 percent on the first \$35,700 in wages, would take effect in 1984. Rate increases already planned for 1985, 1986 and 1990 would be maintained; in addition, an interim rate increase would be made in

 Self-employed persons would be required to pay the same total tax on their incomes as an employon a worker's salary of the same amount. Under current law, the

ways to condemn the Reagan ad percent. The taily taken late Saturministration's record and promise day night did not give the results of other candidates.

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The favorite pledge was one to gates taken by the Los Angeles would be required to pay income tax on half their benefits, but only if total income from all sources exceeded \$20,000 a year in the case of ceeded \$20 000 a year in the case of a single person or \$25,000 in the case of a married couple filing jointly, Social Security benefits are from taxing the benefits would be sues for the United States. fed back into the Social Security

trust fund to help keep it solvent. · This year's automatic cost-ofpostponed for six months, from July to January, and thereafter would be paid in January.

 The system would be reim bursed for certain credits granted to members of the armed forces, and also would receive credit for Social Security checks that go un-

 Beginning in 1988, if Social

Countries have in Security trust funds fall low, the Treasury securities. annual cost-of-living increase would be based on the lesser of as is now the case. The cut would be made up when the trust funds

U.S. Awaits 4th Group Of Asian-Americans

BANGKOK — About 50 Asian-American children accompanied about 50 relatives will leave etnam for the United States in late January, officials said.

te January, officials said.

The group would be the fourth a sharp price decline. ber, when the airlift of Vietnameseborn U.S. citizens began. The resettlement program was organized by ntary agencies because not have diplomatic relations.



Presidents of Argentina and Brazil Ease Tension With Economy Pact

By Richard House

Washington Past Service FOZ DE IGUACU, Brazil meeting here last week of the mili-tary presidents of Brazil and Argentina appears to have moved the two regional giants from past estrangement toward cooperation.

A communique after the summit meeting Thursday between Generals Reynaldo Bignone of Argentina and João Baposta Figueiredo of Brazil said they had agreed on a course of cooperation to confront international economic difficulties. Brazil has failed to maintain

yments on its foreign debt of \$80 billinn while Argentina — with a population of fewer than a quarter of Brazil's 125 million — is negoti-ating a rollback of its \$43-billion

The encounter between Generals

near the site of the talks.

on a \$32-million bridge over the Iguacu River that divides their countries. The two leaders also signed an agreement allowing Argentina to buy Brazilian electricity. General Bignone reminded Gen-

eral Figueiredo of his intentinn to be "the last Argentine president not to be elected by the choice of the people." Elections are due late Spokesmen said that General The Argentine foreign minister, Bignone made clear his approval of Juan Aguirre Lanari, said the main

next president.

The Department of Energy,

which has survived administration

attempts to dismantle it because

many in Congress believe there

NEWS ANALYSIS

should be a focal point for such is-

sues, has been without an assistant

secretary of international affairs

for two months, and no appoint-

Officials at the State, Treasury

and Energy departments, as well as

a senior bank examiner, generally

agreed that while the numerous is-

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ited close attention they were not

sufficiently compelling to lead the government to proclaim an official

tional energy issues. But he added,

We have other interests as well."

He referred to the fact that wel-

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pressed oil exporters such as Mexi-

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But many bankers say that the

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caused in part by the construction not — as his ministers had forecast of the Itaipu bydroelectric dam — raised the subject of Brazilians The ceremonial justification of country's repression of opposition the meeting was initiation of work in the late 1970s.

But on the day of the talks São Paulo's archbishop. Cardinal Paulo Evansto Arns, announced the most comprehensive list yet of citizens missing in Argentina. The list of 7.791 names - compiled by São Paulo's Committee for the Defense of Human Rights in the Southern Cone — is to be presented to Pope John Paul II on Monday.

General Figueiredo's smooth han-dling of elections last year, in effect his country's dispute with Britain ending 18 years of military rule, An over the Falkland Islands. In a electoral college is to choose the speech. General Figueiredo reaffirmed Brazil's support for a nego-A spokesman for the Brazilian tiated settlement with Britain and Bignone and Figueiredo comes af-ter years of strained relations cas, said that Mr. Figueiredo had rhetorical concept."

Salvadoran Expected To Quit Defense Post In the Next 3 Months To Quit Defense Post

By Christopher Dickey

SAN SALVADOR - After three years as the strong man of El Sal-Minister José Guillermo Garcia is expected in leave his post within three months, according to senior military and civilian officials here.

Private confirmation of General Garcia's expected departure follows the six-day mutiny in Cahañas province that ended

The officers' rebellion is being seen as a symptom of what the officials say has been growing disenchantment with the general who has held the powerful Defense Ministry through three otherwise complete changes of government

For both the Reagan administration and the civilian and military leaders it supports here, General Garcia's likely resignation could be a mixed blessing. General Garcia is increasingly seen as an impediment effective military strategy

against the leftist guerrillas.

The officials indicate that his departure could help bring about not only the tactical military changes that Washington seeks, such as aggressive, small-unit patrols, but also shifts in the leadership of the security forces, which are often associated with criticism of the country's human rights policies.

The shifts would include the removal of several of General Garcia's lungume associates.

Some officials are concerned that the U.S.-endorsed agrarian reform will lose a vital patron if General Garcia departs, and that the forces on the ultraright will be able to take advantage of a resulting confusinn in the army.

General Garcia has made no public indication of his intention to resign and there is strong sentiment among many officers that he should nut du so following a muti-ny. But as nue influential comny. But as one influential com- "There's no problem," he said mander put it, "It's impossible for when contacted by telephone.

when he has so many problems. A well-informed government of-

ficial familiar with the inner workvador's U.S.-backed army, Defense ings of the armed forces said severgroups in the army want to see General Garcia removed. The groups appear to form a majority. widespread complaint against General Garcia is of cronvism and maintenance of personal power at the expense of the war effort.

So far as the right is concerned, it is because of General Garcia's stand on agrarian reforms that he has been "condemned," said one of

In June, after years of equivocaion on agrarian reforms, with politicians left to carry out what many in the armed forces were believed to oppose, General Garcia came down solidly in favor of the changes. His mave stopped rightist attempts to cancel the reforms.

Shortly after that, prominent members of private business organizations began publicly questioning the defense minister's conduct of the war.

The rightists would roll back the agrarian and other reform pro-grams aimed at dispersing the wealth of the oligarchy that has run

The U.S. Embassy's public posi-tion regarding General Garcia has been to maintain strict neutrality. been his staunch ally

Rebels Claim to Seize Town Leftist guerrillas claimed Satur-day that they had captured the army's northernmost outpost in

Murazan province. The Associated Press reported from San Salvador. A rebel commander said guerrillas entered the lown of Jocoaitique. 126 miles (202 kilometers) nurth-

east of San Salvador, on Friday. A military commander in the provincial capital of San Franciso Gntera denied the rebel report.

Nonaligned Delegates Limit Blame on U.S.

MANAGUA — Delegations from nonaligned nations said in a communique Saturday that the situation in El Salvador was deteriorating, and they alleged that the in March. United States had used Israel to intervene in Latin America.

The final communique of the 49member Coordinating Bureau of the Nonaligned Movement avoided very much one-sided and based much of the anti-U.S. rhetoric that on a unilateral interpretation of marked the weeklong debates be- certain facts."

ing effects throughout the Middle "The situation in El Salvador has continued to deteriorate due to At the Treasury Department, the continuation of imperialist inwhich monitors the oil nations' in-tervention and repression." the vestments in the United States, communiqué said, deleting a previous reference to U.S. involvement there is some nervousness about in El Salvador.

Efforts by moderate delegates to avoid specifically singling out the United States were seen again in a statement on Honduran-based Nicaraguan rightists that said that they "formed part of a deliberate plan to harass and destabilize Nicaragua, as was publicly admitted by a foreign power."

The statement was an obvious reference to reports that President Ronald Reagan had approved a \$19-million CIA plan to destabilize Nicaragua's leftist government. Although the meeting focused

on problems confronting Latin America, Arab nations led a drive tn attack Israel, a delegate said. The final document denounced the "use of Israel by the United States in its intervenuonist practices" in Latin America

The communique said the ministers agreed that Israel, which is "a principal ally of the fascist and racst regimes and the architect of the policy to eliminate the Palesunian people, has reached the peak of imperialism and racism."

Fureign Minister Butros Ghali

Costa Rica Clears U.S. Journalist

ing his profession bere. The Costa Rican College

Rights Convention.

of Egypt said the communique would be used to develop a position on Latin America at the meeting in New Delhi of the 95 mem-bers of the nonaligned movement

Prime Minister Indira Gandhi o

Guatemala Will **Belize Territory**

British coluny, according to Presi-

8,800 square miles.

territory."

He said the new position was

Visit Boosted Navon's Prestige, U.S. Jews Say they live not by chance is in Isra- challenger to Prime Minister Begin. as "consensus views" in Israel. Is-

By Judith Miller New York Times Service

WASHINGTON - President Yitzhak Navon of Israel has ended.: an II-day visit to the United States, a trip billed as nonpolitical. but one that prominent American Jews have said enhanced his repu-

Mr. Navon. 61, a Labor Party veteran who some view as a poten-

of his government. themes about which there has been dent he could not voice personal a consensus in Israel but not necessarily among American Jews.

Mr. Navon said in a speech Jan 9 views.

Mr. Navon acknowledged that he was preaching to the converted. banced his reputation here," said Most of those who were present in Julius Berman, chairman of the he was preaching to the converted. the Orthodox synagogue had already decided to emigrate to Israel. His comments were directed not at "He managed to stay away from them, he said, but to the six million the divisive political issues within American Jews who had not decided to emigrate to Israel.

tial political challenger to Prime
Minister Menachem Begin, left the
United States on Saturday. He reirained from criticism of Mr. Be- largely ceremonial, could speak who is also a poet and playwright, gur's policies or of expressing politic with candor. He was on guard at was tough enough to withstand the gip's policies or of expressing political views that diverged from those other meetings.

Despite reiterations that his trip Instead be dwelt mainly on was nonpolitical and that as presiviews on policy issues that divide Israelis, many in his audiences

"America is a great country," sought hints about his political to more than 1,000 Jews in Kehi- Mr. Navon has said that he will

his visit has immeasurably en-Conference of Presidents of Major American Jewish Organizations. the divisive political issues within

important substantive issues, such as U.S.-Israeli relations." But some questioned whether the somewhat scholarly politician, brutal skirmishes of Israeli politics.

Israel, without running away from

Rabbi Arthur Hertzberg, vice president of the World Jewish Congress and a close friend and admirer of Mr. Navon, wondered whether "he may lack the fire in the belly that is required for the rough-and-tumble of Israeli politics."

lath Jeshuran Synagogue in New announce next month whether he Several Jews who heard him in York. "But any Jew who lives in will seek another five-year term as. Washington, Baltimore, Boston or any part of the world lives by president or step down and make New York expressed concern chance," he said. "The only place himself available as a potential about what Mr. Navon described

"Political considerations aside, raelis, he said, do not believe that their settlements in the occupied West Bank and Gaza are illegal The Labor Party and the govern-

ment coalition disagree mainly on where Israelis should settle and at what pace, he said. Israelis would not accept a divided Jerusalem over which they lack sovereignty, he declared. Nor

existed before the 1967 war. Israel requires "tangible expressions of peace" with Lebanon before foreign forces are removed. Mr. Navon said.

He said that he would welcome

the participation of King Hussein

of Jordan in Palestinian autonomy

talks, but not with prior condi-

would they accept the borders that

tions, such as a freeze on Israeli "Those of us who thought that there would be massive shifts in Israeli policy if Begin were gone," a Washington-based Jewisb activist said, "had better think again."

Possibility of Drop in Oil Prices self-employed pay three-quarters of the combined employer-employed tax. The self-employed would be allowed to offset the extra payment Raises Thorny Problems for U.S. By Robert D. Hershey Jr. New York Times Service WASHINGTON — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring Washington — The possibility of a precipitorus drop this spring a precipitorus drop the pre

ity of a precapitous drop this spring in oil prices, as energy conservation and the recession bring a continuing decline in prices, raises thorny not taxed now. The money received diplomatic, financial and other is-

Government and industry experts say they expect oil prices to continue to soften, and a sizable living increase in benefits would be number of experts maintain that prices could plunge to \$25 a barrel or less from the current spot mar-

ket price of more than \$30. Among the potential problems are further strains on the international banking system, increased chances of instability in the Middle East and withdrawal of some of the money that members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries have invested in U.S.

The government, however, does not seem alarmed about the proswages or prices, rather than prices pect and has developed no overall position to address it because officials say they believe the chance of a dramatic price drop is remote. In any event, the United States has bittle ability, at least in the short run, to influence what happens.

Moreover, and perhaps most im-

portantly, falling oil prices yield several offsetting benefits. There are a lot of minuses, but at the same time there are a lot of phuses," said a diplomatic source, adding that he knew of no govern-

The government also appears in be taking no action that would help prevent, or bring about, lower prices. The idea of imposing a fee on imported oil, which received much the United States and Vietnam do attention last year, has been little discussed by policy-makers recent-

> Moreover, they said, price declines would improve the financial position of many oil importers, such as Brazil, another country with a large foreign debt burden.
> "It's a two-edged sword," said an official at the Comptroller of the Currency's office. He added;

> > Concern has also been expressed that further erosion of the oil revenues of Saudi Arabia. whose production is half what it was 18

"Our examiners cumunue to pay

extra attention to energy-related

According to an unpublished tabulation, oil-exporting countries held \$47.55 billion in U.S. govern-

East, some analysts say.

possible withdrawals.

ment securities at the end of September. Although this is only about 5 percent of the national debt, it is a very large sum, and specialists say it might shrink soon as a result of price declines that bave already taken place, making the Treasury's financing job still more difficult and putting upward pressure on in-

"Any abrupt, dramatic change can be disruptive," said a specialist at the State Department, which has emerged as the leader on interna-While government officials note that lower oil prices would help spur recovery from recession, it is also recognized that they would discourage exploration for oil and further weaken the already enfecbled effort to develop synthetic come economic effects had to be fuels.

Many government and private Mexican Leader Disbands Police of \$34 for Saudi light crude, is that this could force financially hard-Plainclothes Unit

MEXICO CITY - President Miguel de la Madrid has dissolved the capital's most feared and criticized police agency as the first step in a promised campaign to improve the nation's law-enforcement agencies. A government decree published Friday said the Directorate of In-

vestigations for the Prevention of Delinquency, a branch of the Mexico City police, will be disbanded at once. The plainclothes unit's rolls will be purged uf individuals unfit for police duty, government sources said, and the rest will be

The unit of 1,500 detectives was commonly considered to be a political police organization with extraordinary powers. It had been accused of making arbitrary arrests, using brutal methods to extract confessions and of soliciting months ago, could cause it to re- bribes frum suspects.

The Associated Press SAN JOSE, Costa Rica - A judge here has thrown out criminal charges against an American journalist accused of illegally practic-

the English-language Tico Times scheduled to open talks with Brithere, had violated the law by nnt ain in New York on Jan. 24. joining the college. But Judge Jeanette Sanchez of the Appeals Court ruled Friday that the charges comment until it received the text infringed upon constitutional guarantees on freedom of the press. and violated Mr. Schmidt's rights the development could mark a sigunder the International Human

Mr. Ghali said he had pushed for a further softening of the criti-cism of the United States. He called the statement on Nicaragua "very much one-sided and based

His disappointment in the final document was echoed by severa other delegates, who complained that the nonaligned movement had shifted far to the left under Fidel

Castro's three-year presidency. Mr. Ghali predicted that the nonaligned nations would move to March, when Mr. Castro, the president of Cuba, is to step down from the leadership and be replaced by

Narrow Claim on

The Associated Press
GUATEMALA CITY — Guatemala, in a major shift of policy, will withdraw the bulk of its 100year-old claim to Belize during talks with Britain over the former

dent José Efrain Ríos Manti. General Rios Montt said Guatemala would maintain that it has sovereignty only over one partian of Belize, the 1.866-square-mile (4.851.6 square-kilometer) Tuledu district between the Guatemalan border and the Gulf of Honduras. The district includes the coastal city of Punta Gorda. Belize covers

"Befure, Guatemala claimed all the territory of Belize, but now the Guatemalan position has changed." General Rios Munti said Thursday. "We want the district of Toledo to form part of our

based on cultural traditions, geography and national security. Guatemala, which broke diplomatic relaunns with Britain in 1963 and Journalists had said Stephen B. consular relations after Belize be-Schmidt, 34, who had worked for came independent in 1981. is

In London the British govern-ment said it would withhold formal of General Rics Montt's statement. A Foreign Office spokesman said nificant advance in the long-running territorial dispute over Relize.

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PARIS — For a few days last week it lonked as though President Ronald Reagan bad managed to regain the political and diplomatic initiative from the new Soviet leaders, who

have launched what appears to be an effective

new peace campaign.

His tone shifted from dismissive to flexible

and responsive. Western Europe greeted with relief his announcement that Vice President George Bush would be crossing the Atlantic to explore the thinking of Washington's allies on how best to respond to the Kremlin's overture.

The president's attitude seemed to signal a move away from his rigid ideological line toward a new political strategy in East-West

relations — something that is urgently needed in Europe, particularly in view of the growing strength of the peace movements and the anti-

nuclear campaigns.

"It is a marked change to bear President
Reagan saying that recent Russian overtures
mean that there is a serious foundation for

mean that there is a serious foundation for progress," said the Financial Times of London.

"The United States and its European allies should do all they can to ensure that there is no unreasonable foot-dragging on the Western side, and that in the increasingly public controversy over rival arms control proposels, the

versy over rival arms-control proposals, the West is seen to be taking constructive and rea-

But hy the end of the week, after Mr. Reagan had fired his Arms Control and Disarmament

sonable positions."

The Shards of Lebanon

No issue of substance required a month-long wrangle merely to set the agenda for negotiations about Israel's withdrawal from Lebanon.

sion. And meanwhile, thousands of traders the context of a secure peace between Israel

Lebanon's present agony will end only if the Palestinian roots of the problem are finally ad-

dressed. In practical terms, that requires creating an autonomous Palestinian West Bank in

The West Bank's sovereignty may be left open, but its political rights need to be real. If Jordan, Egypt, Saudi Arabia and Lebanon

lack the strength and the will to move in that

direction now, with American hacking, they will soon find the territory altered to the point

where even this solution is impossible.

Properly protected, West Bank Palestinians

would surely cooperate in the effort. Yasser

Arafat's Palestine Liberation Organization may not, but he well knows that opportunity is slipping away. His assertion, in Moscow, that an "independent" Palestinian state in the

West Bank might "voluntarily" accept con-

America's best talents should not now be

wasted on the Lebanon sidesbow. The task at

hand is to bring King Hussein into negotia-tions with Israel, and to belp protect him

against those off-stage voices that still can say

tiator at the long-running talks on convention-

succeed him was the American amhassador to

East Germany, Herbert Okun, but the conser-

vauve "hit squad" got him with a fusillade of

press leaks that portrayed him as a soft-liner.

The president then came up with Morton

Ahramowitz, the career diplomat whose nomi-

nation as chief of Asian affairs was detailed,

by those same conservatives, last year. Mr.

Abramowitz is an Asia specialist. He is also

one of the State Department's ablest officers

and one whose treatment had become for the

Foreign Service a test of the administration's

respect for professionalism.

In short, the two are men of competence

and independence, and their nominations

solve a comple of embarrassing personnel problems for the administration. How soon

they will come to be accepted by their peers as

important actors in the policy process is an-

other question - and not a small one in light

of the fact that 1983 is bound to be a year of

difficult negotiating decisions. The "grand

-THE NEW YORK TIMES.

federation with Jordan is a backhanded, if inadequate, tribute to President Ronald

Reagan's peace plan.

nothing more than no.

More Than Rostow

There appears to be no special policy signifi-cance to the changes President Ronald Reagan has announced in his arms control team. The

complex political currents buffeting the ad-

toward the process. Interestingly, though be is a practicing Reaganite, he has not hesitated to ence the president — is coming increasingly to

Off-stage voices. from Saudi Arabia or Syria. over Lebanon.

and tourists were crossing the border, express- and Jordan.

frightened the Lebanese about implying in any

way that they were making a full peace. Israel, eager to pacify domestic dissent against its in-

vasion, sought to create precisely that impres-

ing compatible urges that do not need to be

The terms of Israel's departure should not

be hard to write: Beirut and Jerusalem agree

on coexistence and security arrangements. But the wrangling shows that many hands are needed to reassemble the shards of Lebanon.

Those who aspire to a broader peace will have

to direct those bands and overcome many do-

Unless Syria agrees to withdraw simulta-

neously, abandoning its bopes for expansion,

Lebanon will remain an occupied, essentially

partitioned country.

If Jordan's King Hussein persists in making Israel's departure from Lebanon the precondi-

tion for negotiating about the West Bank, he

will yield control over events to the Syrians

and their Soviet and Saudi paymasters.

If even the Egyptians behave as if they are

ashamed of their peace with Israel and do not

end their vitriolic propaganda, the Israelis can

hardly be expected to trust deals with other

neighbors. And if all that Israelis want is to

cance to the changes President Ronald Reagan

has announced in his arms control team. The

changes are, however, richly revealing of the

Eugene V. Rostow, dismissed as director of

the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, hrought to Washington a strong, defense-

minded conservatism, but did not succeed in

becoming either a major player in pobcy for-mulation or, from the standpoint of White

House political operators, a reliable team player. When the White House denied its sup-

port in the Senate for the Foreign Service pro-fessional wbom Mr. Rostow had sought as his

deputy, his humiliation was complete. So the

departure of this somewhat old-fashioned spokesman for international rectitude is a vic-

tory for the most conservative wing of Mr.

The proposed replacement for Mr. Rostow,

Kenneth L. Adelman, 36, has been deputy

American representative at the United Na-

tions. A foreign affairs generalist, he is neither

a technician nor a theologian in arms control,

and shares the administration's general reserve

Reagan's party, but it is not only that.

ministration from within and without.

labeled "peace."

mestic discontents.

crisis of nuclear arms and the world Mr. Reagan's reaction to all this is interesting. Informed of the gather-ing storm, he summoned the press

Mr. Reagan does not.

and demed that his administration was in "disarray," hut suggested that

Spreading Panic Over the Reagan

Budget," says one in The Wall Street Journal. "Whatever Happened to the

Reagan Revolution?" asks another in

the even more conservative Washing-ton Times. "The Phasing Out of Reaganism," answers The Washing-

ton Post, over a column hy its re-

spected political columnist David Broder (IHT, Jan. 12).

More important, in these few days

since the turn of the year, two of the

president's calinet members have re-

signed; he has had to quell a revolu-over the administration of his nuclear

arms policy; and the Republican leader of the Senate. Howard Baker

of Tennessee, has let it be known that

he may resign from the leadership

and run for the presidency in 1984, if

So something is going on here, and whatever it is, it is clearly not a vote

of confidence in the president, and

this is serious. For Mr. Reagan has to

govern for two more years during a

By James Reston

more severely hy both parties and the press was in "disarray." which be better, because it is more visible press than at any time since he en-tered the White House. may be true but is not exactly a new idea. Despite this, the press keeps on and what is not going on. talking every morning. Norman C. Miller, The Wall Street

Journal's Washington hureau chief. abandons when the opposition is writes: "A whiff of panic emanates from the Reagan administration, ... It is a strange scene. Reagan, radiating his usual genial confidence, keeps suggesting that everything will turn out fine.

The campaign to force the president to recognize reality borders on the bizarre. Frustrated Republicans say Reagan greets proposals for poli-cy changes with silence. Irish jokes or irrelevant pronouncements that he is glad that everyone agrees on the fun-

The administration has denied but not ignored these charges. It bas mounted a public relations campaign to insist that it is not for the rich and against the poor; not against nuclear arms control but all for it; not against women, since it has just nominated two of them for the cabinet: not indifferent to the opinion of the allies, since it has just instructed Vice eign policy and bope, like Mr. Mi-President George Bush to go to Eu-cawber, that "something will turn

negotiating with the Russians. nothing new about it. He is presiding Calfornia at the end of his first term, here over the substance of policy precisely as he did as governor of The New York Times.

California — occasionally, indif-ferently and inconsistently. The situ-

auon is not worse here now, and may

What he is accused of, he denies: and what he says he is defending, he

tough enough and public enough. In short, Mr. Reagan is a politician compromising with problems beyond

his control. He fired Eugene V. Rostow at the nuclear arms agency one day and the next day gave his support to Paul H. Nitze (whom he called "Ed" in his news conference). Secretary of State George P. Shultz, in an effort to reassure everybody, announced that the president was indeed the "boss" and that he was "in charge" of nuclear arms policy, which is consoling only when you know it is not true.

Mr. Reagan pretended, until re-cently, that he was really in charge of the substance of policy. He was not its master but its spokesman.

So what will Mr. Reagan do now? The guess here is that he will do what comes naturally to him - com promise on both domestic and forrope to consider their interests before up." Later, he will probably announce with a smile and 2 wave that This is Mr. Reagan's way. There is he is going home to the sunshine in

Agency director. Eugene V. Rostow, this licly stepped out in front with soothing reas-Washington turned to frustration and despair.

Mr. Bush's visit to Europe now takes on a

very different focus. It is no longer a mission to seize the initiative in the face of the Soviet peace offensive and begin the process of devising allied strategy for dealing with Yuri V. Andropov and his new team in Moscow.

Mr. Bush's first task now will have to be to assure the allies that Washington still has an arms control policy and a negotiating strategy

"How serious the United States is about disarmament," the Times of London said, "should become evident after Mr. Bush has come to Europe. If it seemed that the Americans were not prepared to negotiate seriously there would not prepared to negotiate seriously interested be a considerable danger of European opinion becoming so disaffected as to make it exceedingly difficult for any cruise or Pershing missiles to be installed in Western Europe, whether the Soviet Union withdraws is SS-20s or not.

The crucial point will be whether the United States insists upon the zero-option proposal for intermediate range missiles. There seems little prospect of maintaining a united Western position if the United States takes the view that

it must be the zero option or nothing."

Secretary of State George P. Shultz has pub-

hand in arms negotiations.

But Mr. Reagan has still surrendered the agency into the bands of the Republican right wing, which lonks on negotiations with the Russians about the way Menachem Begin looks on talks with the PLO.

As evidence of this problem of trust, an opin-ion poll for the West German government shows that 55 percent of the German voters do not believe that the United States is negotiating in good faith in Geneva, and that 61 percent believe that West Germany should refuse to take any new American missiles on its territory even if the talks there have achieved nothing by the time delivery of those missiles is scheduled to start by year's end.

In the face of public opinion statistics like these, with a West German general election less than two months away, no responsible West German political leader can do anything but plead for American flexibility and pray for arms control progress.

While the Reagan administration marks time

and tries to sort out its political-ideological mess, the Europeans are talking to the Russians aimost nonstop. A number of Western ambassadors in Moscow have called at the Soviet Foreign Ministry recently to discuss the War-

Reagan's Shifts on Arms Control Dismay Europe Control Dismay Europe Control Dismay Europe saw Pact communique that set forth the all Soviet proposals. France's minister for easier relations. Claude Cheysson, will soon be go to Moscow, and Soviet Foreign Minister drei A. Gromyko will be making an official it to Bonn before the crucial elections March 6.

Behind all this is a deep Europe inches that a historic icked are

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March 6.

Behind all this is a deep European sense unease that a historic opportunity may kicked away by a combination of Mr. Reaghard-line ideology and lack of leadership.

Very much on the minds of European digmats and political leaders just now is the mory of 1953, when Stalin died and Church took over again as Britain's prime minist Churchill made a strong plea in the Home Commons for a Big Four summit meeting explore the broad issue of peace in Europe.

But President Eisenhower was at best in But President Eisenhower was at best

But President Elsenhower was at best it uous, and his secretary of state. John Post Dulles, was wholly opposed to the idwrapped up as he was in notions of brinking ship, retaliation and rolling back communication. ship, retailation and foring out commission.

It is not often that there is a major changithe Kremlin — the death of a Stalin or a z zhnev — that presents a "window of opport, ty." And bringing in a new, right-wing at control team at this historic juncture is an opport of leadership by Mr. Reason reassuring act of leadership by Mr. Reason

The writer is the Los Angeles Times on

A Single, 6-Year Term An Old Idea Is Revived By Clayton Fritchey WASHINGTON — January is the Constitution "just by the six of a pen," he would limit the six president's in quick succession, the chief executive must deliver his annumber of the questionable logic of the deliver his annumber of the constitution "just by the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen, "he would limit the six of a pen," he would limit the six of a pen, "he wo

chief executive must deliver his annual State of the Union message, outline his economic plans for the year ahead and, above all, formally present the new federal budget.

It is a month that generally in-spires a fresb round of reflections on the presidency, accompanied by the introduction of reform bills and confirst term. stitutional amendments aimed at changing the scope of the office and the system of government that goes There are more proposals than

usual this year. That nearly always happens when the incumbent president, as in the case of Ronald Reagan, is at odds with the public. the Congress, and the leaders of his own party, provoking confusion and

Three initiatives in the 98th Congress have attracted serious attention and won the support of prominent political leaders and Constitutional

One of the amendments would extend the presidential term from four to six years, but forbid re-election. A second would repeal the 22d Amendment, which limits the president to two four-year terms.

Sull another idea that has gained ground suggests the possibility of changing to some form of parliamentary government that would eliminate or sharply reduce the present that the "definition and possible! division of authority between the ex- acy of the Reagan presidency wo ecutive and legislative arms of gov-

ernment The nonrenewable six-year term has a long history; it was first pro-

Overall, 40 proposals for six-year terms have been introduced in Congress, and in 1913 the Senate, but not the House, passed such a bill. Finally, in 1947, in a "posthumous revenge" against four-term winner Franklin D. Roosevelt, a Republican Congress passed the 22d Amendment, limiting the presidency to two four-year terms.

Interest in the single six-year term has been revived by the support of three former presidents — Jimmy into a depression. This is what a Carter. Richard M. Nixon and Lyn- of my economist friends tell don B. Johnson. Mr. Carter went so within the realm of possibility." far as to say that if he could change

term idea is that if a president can succeed himself be will be "abe politics" and presumably a more dependent chief executive. In pr. tice, however, nearly all U.S. pa dents, especially the notable m

Clark Clifford, an adviser to se al presidents, has said that "A pa-dent immunized from political or siderations is a president who ne not listen to the people, response majority sentiment, or pay any and tion to views that may be diverse. tense and perhaps at variance w his own."

Even some of Ronald Read () () [] [] close advisers, dismayed at his diin the polls, fear he has lost cont with the public and the Congrather recall that Mr. Reagan, just ter his election in 1980, said hear determined "to behave as if it's one-term office."

In a mid-term assessment of Reagan presidency, scholars and initical specialists meeting at Pin ton University gave Mr. Reagood marks for ideological consist cy, hut some wondered if he wobe adaptable enough to recitable

his leadership.
Richard Neustadt: Harver necessarily await the probably di-cult third year" of his term.

"The first two years," he said, not historically very good guide; the policy legacy, performance, vi perception or the verdict of histor Mr. Reagan, he said, may be an ception, adding:
Everything done so far les

Reagan's reputation and stand mortgaged now to the chancy of tion of whether we have an count upturn in 1983, which leads to \$6 resionation of confidence in 1984 whether we have an accumulation shocks in finance or trade or is comparable to 1931, which spins into a depression. This is what & :

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Chaos of Democracy

Regarding "The Bishops and the Arms Race" (IHT, Jan. I): The somewhat unrealistic approach of practically all the answers published is assumed to fail assumed tounding. Obviously, even vast U.S. the time of John Foster Dulles. The nuclear superiority cannot prevent is no reason to believe that it will's the Soviet Union from continuing its ceed in the future and there is no

nibhling away at the world with

ternative to giving the overextent Soviet empire enough rope to be itself, and to counter its expansion a far more vigorous and audacit democratic world revolution. limited chaos of democracy is boy: to win after a few generations. ALEXANDER UXKUEL

The 'Psycho' Scene

Regarding "Hitchcock's Ghas (IHT, Jan. 11): I doubt that Deal Spoto says in his new book on Alfi Hitchcock that the shower seque in "Psycho" was directed by Sam Bass. The man's name is Saul Bass Mr. Spoto would, and the should, know. Saul Bass is on America's foremost graphic design and (alas, not often enough) in makers. He is also the man who is ally changed the face of the design film credit titles.

As to whether Mr. Bass and Mr. Hitchcock directed this partir lar sequence, Mr. Bass admitted did in an interview with me in cember 1972, printed in two Bril magazines the following year. Only the dichard Hitch enthusia believe and report otherwise. Hitchcock (oh yes, I'm a fan, it once told me: after spending most co-writing scripts with noveling shooting them in his head as it we be was - even as far back as 1960 a trifle bored with having to she them over again for real on the set "Hitch was very nice about ! Saul Bass said about his shooting

the shower slaying. "I thought it a generous thing for him to do on! picture. I learned a lot from it # very nice things emerged from it.



Hoping 'Something Will Turn Up' WASHINGTON — Since the be-

support the confirmation to a high State Department post has been held up for the struggle to influence the president — is coming increasingly to focus on these negotiations, the nuclear talks and the conventional arms talks and the conventional arms talks. W ginning of the year, President Ronald Reagan has been criticized Other Opinion The story is in the headlines. "The

Yasuhiro Nakasone will be in town for his first top-level meeting with Ronald Reagan and you would have thought, from the sound and fury over Japanese defense and trade poli-

cies, that be could have hardly picked a less propiuous time. But uming turns out to be not the least of Mr. Nakasone's considerable political talents. He will have with him detailed documentary

Nakasone's U.S. Visit

evidence of recent decisions by his govern-ment that he hopes will serve as a wonderfully upbeat "working paper" for his talks in Washington. One is the new Japanese budget. The caption on a Japanese Emhassy press statement nicely conveys the impression Mr. Naka-sone himself wants to convey: "Ultra-Austere Budget Gives Top Priority to Defense Spend-ing." The prime minister will picture Japan as suffering most of the ills the United States is suffering, including a yawning budget deficit, a hold on social welfare and education spending, and unemployment (or underemployment) that is a lot worse than the 2.4-percent

figure would imply.

A batch of tariff decisions were made on Christmas Day, and by the time Mr. Naka-sone sits down with Mr. Reagan, a further sweetening of trade concessions may have been proposed by the Japanese cahinet. The hope apparently is that when Mr. Nakasone bas finished his pitch, there will not be a dry eye in the White House.

That is not quite the way it is going to work. Administration officials are bardly bowled over by the scope of the tariff concessions so far. As for the budget numbers, the Japanese point to the sbarply accelerating rate of real

growth in defense outlays - 4.3 percent in the coming year, compared to the 3 percent de-manded of European allies. But U.S. officials point instead to the percentage of the Japa-nese gross national product devoted to the military (0.98 percent) compared to the Unit-

ed States (7 percent). Mr. Nakasone is hedged in no less than his predecessors hy a sull-powerful Japanese distaste for things military. But be is more of a hard-liner than his predecessor, and more inclined to move, if cautiously, in the directions the United States wants Japan to move.

— Philip Geyelin in The Washington Post.

Trans-Atlantic Crisis

A knowledge of European mentalities has never been one of the principal characteristics of American leaders. Mr. Reagan does not es-cape this rule, having allowed the traditional trans-Atlantic malentendus to degenerate into open crisis.

Did Mr. Reagan realize that he was unleashing a new crisis of confidence with the allies last Wednesday when be dismissed Eugene Rostow from the arms control agency and replaced him with Kenneth Adelman, a young Republican known for his particularly hard-

line positions? Nothing is less certain.

But press reaction — both American and European — as well as that of several Western leaders, quickly revealed to the White House leader that he had committed a new gaffe, offering a nice gift to the Russians at the moment they were intensifying their campaign of charm and coercion aimed at exploiting the friction between the Old and New World. - Jacques Amalric in Le Monde (Paris).

FROM OUR JAN. 17 PAGES, 75 AND 50 YEARS AGO

1908: Japan's Defense Spending 1933: A Warning on Debt PARIS — Today's editorial in the Herald

reads: "The news from the Far East shows that symptoms of unrest continue to multiply. The Japanese cabinet has undergone a partial crisis. The majority of its members favor largely increasing military expenditure. The minister of finance declared that this would tax the financial resources of the country to breaking strain, and declined to accept this responsibility. This rendency to push military expenditure to its furthest limits is calculated to cause a certain amount of anxiety. The only encouraging feature is that a considerable portion of the Japanese are beginning to cry halt to the excessive expenditure."

PHILLIP M. FOISIE

LONDON — The Times, in an editorial, serves a warning to the United States against the danger of any "attempt to use the debis as a bargaining weapon" as regards other international economic, political or disarmament problems. In view of the paper's reputation for usually expressing a semi-official British view-point on international affairs, today's declaration or international affairs, today's declaration may have tion regarding the debt question may bave siderable importance. The editorial begins by urging the necessity for a final settlement on the lines of the Lausanne agreement about reparations, wiping out the whole system of intergovernmental payments by a final trans-action that doesn't disturb exchanges."

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Nakasone Moves Quickly to Dispel Criticism

TOKYO — From the day be took office Nov. 26 as Japan's 16th postwar prime minister. Yasuhiro Nakasone has been mov-ing at a breakneck pace. As if to vindicate his claim that be chose his cahinet on the basis of its ability to get things done and not simply to repay political obligations, he bas acted swiftly on both domestic and foreign fronts on a host of issues

that have plagued his predecessors. It has seemed Mr. Nakasone is rushing to get everything done at once, as though he cannot wait to wipe out the image that most Japanese had of him as a stooge of former Prime Minister Kakuei Tana-ka. It was the support of the Tana-ka faction of the Liberal Democratic Party that brought Mr. Nakasone to power. He gave what many considered an inordinately large number of cabinel portfolios to Tanaka faction members, including the im-portant post of justice minister, un-der whose jurisdiction a Tokyo dis-trict court is now trying Mr. Tanaka on charges of accepting bribe mon-

ey in the Lockheed case.
In the short time since assuming office. Mr. Nakasone has: Steered through a supplementary budget that freezes wages for

of revising the constitution, which no high official had dared do pub- Won acceptance for a 6.5-percent increase in next year's military

By Ken Ishii

and other key sectors at or below 1982 levels;
• Promised South Korea \$4 billion in economic loans in an historic visit to Seoul;

• Scheduled a visit to Washington for talks this week with Presi-

dent Ronald Reagan:

 Announced a new package of measures to reduce tariffs and nontrade barriers that go much beyond steps previously taken in response to U.S.-EC pressure, and which should in the Japanese view end

criticism that Japan is dragging its feet in opening up its markets;

Sent Foreign Minister Shintaro Abe on a swing of EC countries. The tour is intended not to produce specific results so much as ment's concern over the European trade deficit with Japan;

 Agreed to provide the United States with military-related technology - something Tokyo had been hesitant to do because of its rule against military exports; Broken a longstanding taboo hy openly discussing the possibility

licly because it implies changing the no-war, no-arms clause: And committed his adminisbudget while keeping outlays for tration to continuing efforts to education, welfare, public works streamline the hureaucracy.

To those who know him, the prime minister's remarkable move-ment on these matters is as much part of his desire to dispel criticism of his cahinet selection - "just wait and see what we do" were his words to reporters at his inaugural press conference — as part of his orienta-

tion and personality.

Ever since he attended a Harvard seminar on international issues in 1953 as a young politician, Mr. Nakasone has displayed a more international orientation than his predecessor. Zenko Suzuki, or most of Japan's other postwar prime ministers, except perhaps for Shigeru Yoshida, who signed the Japanese peace treaty. Mr. Nakasone is quick to view Japan's welfare in relation to the rest of the world, particularly the Western world.

And be has an un-Japanese babit, especially for a politician, of saying what he thinks, which has got him into trouble in the past but which, as prime minister, seems to be

working to his advantage.
In a country where rule by consensus discourage the energence of strong leaders, Mr. Nakasone comes as a refreshing change, and the reaction of the press and public has been generally favorable.

Mr. Nakasone's rating in public opinion polls has improved since he uncomfortable position. took office. By bringing the debate

an outspoken leader.
But strong leadership is no assurance of a long tenure. The factional

rivalry in the Liberal Democratic Party today is as fierce as ever. Although Mr. Nakasone has the backing of the mainstream factions, of which the Tanaka grouping is the largest, shifts in factional alignments — a continuing process in Japanese polities — could erode his power base.

The prime minister will face his

on constitutional revision into the

open, he has enhanced his image as

first major test later this year, probably in October, when a verdict is expected in Mr. Tanaka's trial. The prosecution's summation is sched-uled for late January and the defense summation in May. The question is how much a

guilty verdict, which almost every-one predicts, will affect Mr. Tana-ka's political influence. The former prime minister has shown an ability to weather the indignity of the charges. His faction today is numerically stronger than when the Lockheed scandal emerged.

But a guilty ruling could bring down the Tanaka house of cards. and a verdict of not guilty would invite charges of interference in the judicial process by Tanaka-faction cabinet members. Either way Mr. Nakasone will find himself in an

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TONY CRAWLEY Marly-le-Roi, France.

North Germany Faces Hard Times Quietly

With 21% Already Out of Work, One Town's Factory Will Close

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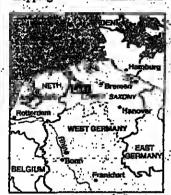
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MALE

cation of the drowned moors and remote Australia, but today the flat pastureland, crisscrossed with canals and dotted with windmills. that reach out from this town on

But the 32,000 people of Leer, who take pride in a sense of human scale and big vistas that are hard to find in industrialized West Germany, have another, unhappy distinction. In the national unemployment figures, Leer and its surrounding county are at the top, with 21.2 percent out of

East Frisia, the tabulators quickly add, has always had too many people and too few jobs. The mechanization of its grain and dairy farms pushed people off the land and into the port towns of Emden and Leer. Unemployment is mildly seasonal,



LEER, West Germany Hardship in the last century

"Leer means empty" in Ger sent East Frisians to distant Illiman, and the name is an apt evocation of the mane is an apt evobounty of the postwar welfare state has strengthened a disinchnation to move. "East Frisians the northern frontier with Hole ching to their land," acknowltown's mayor, a big-limbed Social

Something newer, and more unnerving than what economists call "structural unemployment lies behind a jobless rate that will go over 25 percent when AEG Telefunken, the insolvent conglomerate, closes an Olympia typewriter factory in Leer. The shrinkage of Leer's tiny industrial base is a reflection of the alarming downturn in the West German economy during the last two

The statistics are eloquent. In 1980, when the nation's unemployment rate stood at 4.8 percent, the rate in the backwater of Leer was 8.1 percent. Now the national rate is 9.1 percent, and Leer's jobless rate is 12.1 points over that, and accelerating.

Yet it is hard to sense hardship, to feel panic or to detect any sign of poverty among the squat, red-brick houses on Leer's tidy, cobbled streets.

The signals of trouble are muted. Many houses are put up for sale in the local daily, the Ostfriesen Zeitung, and there are few buyers. Mayor Boekhoff has just cut his recreation budget by 20 percent. Karin Feenders, 29, a part-time taxi driver, complains that she will not he able to con-

By James M. Markham tourists head to the North Sea is-

Limbaltung des Interessensaugle

Employees of the Olympia typewriter factory protest a planned plant closing in Leer, West Germany, where unemployment has already reached 21 percent.

But competition from Japan

force here from 2,500 to 600.

Siemers, 62, said. "In 1983 the sit-

nation is much worse than it was

in 1950. Then there were a lot of small companies. Now there are

to the disappearance of Leer's

single biggest employer has been

outrage, a flash of determination

test demonstration. They sent an-other Dutch ports.

and, now, resignation.

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cause Bonn has slashed student was sure for life."

"One has not become accus-tomed during the last 25 years to to beat the high West German the idea of being unemployed," ex-plained the Reverend Hajo Müller, transferred to Yugoslavia and ana Lutheran pastor with a reputa-tion for poblical engagement. Last summer, AEG went into "When you ask a man in Leer what receivership and announced that he does, he gives you his profes-sion. Only if you ask will he tell you he has no job."

"The people," the pastor con-tinued over a cup of the highly sweetened tea that is consumed here in generous quantities, "can hardly tell from door to door that a father is out of work. The people are still hoping that we have reached the hottom, that things will be getting better."

Few such hopes flicker at AEG's Olympia typewriter factory, which sits on a little island in Leer's harbor on the swift river

"When Olympia started in 1957," Hermann Siemers, the chain-smoking factory union chief, said bitterly, people

tinue ber university studies be- thought that this was a job that other protest delegation to the Lower Saxony state capital. Hannover, to see what the politicians could do. Now they are trying with fading expectations, to find a company that will take over, and even retool, the factory.

"It's most difficult for the peo-ple who are 45 to 55," said Mr. Siemers, who plans to rethe Leer plant would be closed in June: it had already cut its work tire. They will never find another job." He joked ruefully: "The ide-al job-seeker should be 25 years "On the whole North Sea coast, there is no other place where you can find a job." Mr. old and have 30 years' experi-

The politicians can offer East Frisia little hope of an ecocomic building of a long-planned high-way that will link Leer and Emden with the country's industrial The Olympia workers' reaction beardand farther south. But another proposal for extending Emden's harbor languishes. Within a European Community regional development scheme, the Nether-When the news broke, the lands opposes the competition workers did an unusual thing in that an enlarged Emden port tranquil Leer: They staged a promight pose for Rotterdam and

Meyer Lansky Is Dead; **Reputed Crime Genius**

By Robert D. McFadden New York Times Service

NEW YORK - Meyer Lansky, 81, who allegedly amassed a formoe in a variety of illegal enterprises ranging from bootlegging and gambling to stock manipula-tion and loansharking, died of can-cer Saturday in Miami Beach. "He would have been chairman

of the board of General Motors if he'd gooe into legitimate business." an agent of the Federal Bureau of Investigation once said of Mr. Lansky. And in a moment of triumph, Mr. Lansky once boasted to an underworld associate: "We're bigger than U.S. Steel."

Maier Suchowljansky, the Russian-born immigrant better known as Meyer Lansky, always called himself a lucky gambler. But ac-cording to law-enforcement officials, he was for decades a kingpin of organized crime in the United States, a ruthless man who bet only on a sure thing.

Though he was said to have had

some experience as a hired gunman in the 1920s, he had not, by most accounts, personally committed an act of violence for 50 years.

Authorities described him as a enius of finance involved in bootlegging during Prohibition. gam-bling in Cuba, the Bahamas and the United States and loansharkderworld penetration of legitimate businesses across the country.

From an impoverished childhood oo New York's Lower East Side he maneuvered his way up through the ranks of organized crime, as investigators told it, parlaying profits from the Prohibition era into hundreds of illicit and le-

gitimate ventures in New York. Miami. Havana. Nassau. Las Vegas and elsewhere.

He was said to have been a key figure in the 1934 creation of a national crime syndicate, which brought fragmented gangland empires into a loosely organized national federation. Later he was said to have devised schemes to infiltrate legitimate business and to have set up sophisticated means to skim receipts and evade taxes.

One hiographer said a few years ago that Mr. Lansky had amassed a personal fortune of \$300 million most of it tucked away in Swiss bank accounts, real estate and hidden investments.

Over the years, Mr. Lansky was accused of many crimes, ranging from assault and narcotics charges to contempt of court, tax evasion and, once, loog after be had be-come a multimilliooaire, vagrancy. But aside from a few minor run-ins with the law as a teen-ager, he went to jail only once. That was for two mooths in 1953, on a gambling conviction in Saratoga Springs. New York.

His record included a conviction oo only one other charge -- a contempt citation in 1973 that was overturned oo appeal. Repeated prosecutions ended in acquittals or were thwarted by trial delays arranged by his hatteries of lawyers or prompted by his frequent bouts

of assertedly poor health. Mr. Lansky's name became virtually a household word after bearings by the Senate Crime Investigating Committee in 1950 and 1951. The Kefauver Committee, as far-reaching study of organized sters union.



Meyer Lansky

crime ever undertaken, and Mr. Lansky — named as a major boss - was called to testify, but he provided little helpful information.

Mr. Lansky became an international cause célèbre in the early 1970s when he retired to Israel and menis. He sought to remain in Israel under that country's Law of the Return, which says every Jew bas the right to immigrate to Israel. and a two-and-a-half-year legal battle ensued.

Israel asked him to leave after its highest court ruled that his past made him a danger to public safety, and he was arrested when he tanded io Miami on Nov. 7, 1972. were peoding against him.

In recent years, while living in seclusion in Miami. Mr. Lansky was mentioned repeatedly in hearings relating to casino licenses in Adantic City, New Jersey, and in connection with questionable loans it was known, cooducted the most from pension funds of the Team-

General David M. Shoup

Warsaw Seeks to Limit Bribery Was Hiring by Journalists

By Dan Fisher

Los Angeles Times Service WARSAW - Officials have countries. drafted an amendment to the For- Gruber Arrives in Berlin eign Ministry decree governing the accreditation of foreign journalists that would require correspondents to hire translators and other local employees · exclusively : through state institutions, the Los Angeles Times has learned.

The amendment which a well- in Poland. placed official source said was "98 reportedly aimed both at curbing the independence of foreign newsgathering operations and at generating hard-currency income for the

Foreign correspondents are now permitted to hire Polish staff mem- Berlin to discuss the expulsion, bers directly, although Foreign Ministry and local employment officials must approve them. The draft amendment would be another m a series of recent governmentmoves against Western journalists. The latest such measure was the

expulsion order Thursday against Ruth E. Gruber, 33, bureau chief ing espionage materials.

home that was attended by two senior officials of the disbanded Solidarity trade union who were among the last to he freed when official internment ended Dec. 23, Reuters reported from Warsew.

The authorities also appear to be trying to isolate average Poles from contacts with Westerners, especially Americans. Renters said. It reported that people attending a film at the U.S. Embassy last week were detained for some time afterward by police.]

Earlier, authorities rejected the applications for renewed work permits for nine Poles employed by Western news agencies: If adopted the new measure

governing employment of Poles by foreign journalists would be similar to that long enforced in the Soviet Union, where all local employees of diplomatic missions and foreign news and business organizations must be hired through the "office for servicing the diplomatic corps." Westerners in Moscow generally believe that the duties of these staff members include telling the secret police about their employers' activiands," that are deemed by South

ation in Poland would affect scores of translators, secretaries and off-rowly define the "economically acice accountants employed by for tive black population and ignore eign news organizations. Foreign those blacks whose presence in the television news teams are already required to hire their film crews, technicians and a "team leader" through the official Polish Interpress Agency.

In a related development, the Communist Parly newspaper, Trybuna Ludu, complained Satur- borders. day about reports published in the West concerning the recent actions against foreign correspondents.

The reports "are meant to illustrate a broader thesis that attempts were more or less permanently unions, was unable to say last weel to picture Poland as a country that dealt out of the job market because how many of the migrants among is closing its borders and hindering of rigid regulations on black movethe flow of information," the news-

Trybuna Ludu called the actions and low levels of education and against Western correspondents skills.

ents permanently accredited in Poland, including 70 from Western

Miss Gruber arrived Saturday in West Berlin, UPI reported. During the 10-hour drive from Poland to Berlin, she was accompanied by a U.S. Embassy official. She said the drive was uneventful except that she was stopped once for speeding

"When the traffic cop saw my percent certain" to be adopted, is passport, he realized who I was. He gave me a speeding ticket with a smile and said, 'Here you are, your last souvenir from Poland,' " she

news conference Monday in West called the charges against her "completely ridiculous." Interior Ministry officials said Miss Gruber "was interested in information that had a military character and she collected it at the request of UPI headquarters."

reached such refinement at the Chernigov teacher-training college in the Ukraine that in the English Department there was ing up to 10 rubles (\$14) for top marks, the Moscow trade union daily Trud reported.

class, and the head of sports took Cognac, fish, and cascourse of time, more than 1,000

in Warsaw of United Press International, who was accused of collectional, who was accused of collectional Two days before the police operation that led to Miss Grubera expulsion, she held a party in her

which to return.
Economists at major financial

institutions have been predicting that the number of black unemployed could soar by 250,000 or more in the coming months as a result of a simultaneous slump in the country's foreign and domestic

The level of black joblessness in South Africa has been a matter of prolonged dispute between the keepers of the government's statis-

The amendment under consider- to have gained their independence.

percent of the total population, within the country's traditional

ment in the country, the economic bomelands over the boliday. But a senior executive in a

argued that "our national interests figures, speculated recently that laid off by April. Most companies, are consistently working for an open Poland."

In the property of the companies of the property o To support its view, the newspa- lion. The higher estimate would per said there were an "unprece- amount to nearly one-fourth of the reported in the automobile and texdented" 120 foreign correspond- estimated black work force.

Soviet School

MOSCOW - Bribery a sliding scale of charges rang-

A Russian language lecturer took a one-time payment of 200 rubles (\$280) from her entire settes, Trud said. To ensure amining board was paid off with a television and, in the

had been discovered.

sion in the mid-1970s.

end of this year.

happened to thousands of migrant

al Federation, warned its members

The Metal and Allied Workers

But a senior executive in a major

industrial group estimated that 50,000 to 60,000 blacks in the met-

Major reductions have also been

By Joseph Lelyveld

New York Times Service ... that existed at the start of the JOHANNESBURG — South stamp, there is no dispute that it Africans returned to work last week after a midsummer holiday season that annually halts most construction and manufacturing and there were strong indications workers found they had no jobs to

ties and academic experts.

The official estimate of black unhomelands, who lose the right to be in the white areas when they lose employment stands at about their jobs. The evidence that this 500,000, but government statistics no longer take account of blacks in laborers during the holiday season four tiny black states, or "homenow ending has to do with the nature of the contracts that are the Africa, bul no other government, passes they must have to come to the white areas. The official statistics also nar-These typically have to be re-newed at the end of the year under

the auspices of a government labor bureau when the worker returns so-called white areas can be regardhome on annual leave. In the past, ed as illegal under the country's employers often laid off workers before the end of a contract. There are thought to he more But a major employers' group, the Steel and Engineering Industrithan 23 million blacks, or about 72

last year that they could be sued if they let a worker go before a con-Professor Charles Simkins, an tract expired. economist at the University of Cape Town, argued several years ago that at least 2 million blacks Union, one of the new black unions, was unable to say last week

"exceptional and untypical" and Others, attempting to update his als industry alone will have been

Way of Life at

The daily said that the staff involved had all been jailed for unspecified terms at a recent trial It did not say how they

to be used for.

Whatever the level of joblessness home in Wels, Austria, a state proworsened markedly in the final quarter of 1982 and will keep getsecutor, Otto Schimon, said be was preparing a case against Otto Tintner, another arms dealer. He said he would charge Mr. Tintner ting worse this year as the recession with violations of the arms law and The forecasts have produced financial irregularities in connecspeculation about the possibilities of labor unrest and the effects of non with the buying and selling of a consignment of weapons that inlarge layoffs on new black labor cluded the pistol that Mr. Agea unions that have appeared as a sig-

nificant force since the last reces-In boom periods, unemployment is unknown among whites, Indians concern the attempted assassina and the mixed-race people called tion in St. Peter's Square, he had coloreds. The most dire forecast heard so far is that about 50,000 whites, coloreds and Indians could find themselves without jobs by the man. A Turk, Omar Bagci, has The most vulnerable workers are been extradited from Switzerland to ttaly and may be charged with the migrant black workers from the

providing the pistol to Mr. Agea. The case in which Mr Grillmayer was arrested Tuesday night is causing considerable atten tion here because of the suspicion of, at the least, official Czechoslovak connivance in arms smuggling.

A Czechoslovak citizen. Petr

These sophisticated rifles were

Turkish Official in Iran

The Associated Pres. Fahir Ilkel traveled to Iran on Sunday to complete an oil agreement the Istanbul daily newspaper Cumhuriyet reported. Uoder the accord, Iran would deliver 5.5 milhon tons of crude oil to Turkey in

Austria Arrests Dealer Cited in Attack on Pope

By Henry Kamm New York Times Service

VIENNA - An arms dealer whose name has been mentioned in connection with the pistol used in the attempt on the life of Pope John Paul II has been arrested here in an investigation into the smuggling of a consignment of weapons from Czechoslovakia.

The dealer is Horst Grillmayer. An Interior Ministry official said Friday that Austria was investigating reports from Italy that an Austrian license issued in Mr. May 13, 1981.

[Italian prosecutors may charge Mr. Grillmayer for gun smuggling with complicity in the shooting of the pope, The Associated Press in Rome quoted two Milan newspapers as speculating Sunday. Under Italian law a person can be charged as an accessory for selling a gun used in a crime, even if he did not know what the weapon was going

Neither Corriere della Sera nor Il Giornale Nuovo cited sources for their stories, and Italian investiga-tors bave consistently refused to comment on specifics of the inves-

In a telephone interview at his

Mr. Schimon said that the pistol tion that Tuesday's shipment was Tito still in power, Sunday in Zawas sold to an unknown person out the first.
and that, since his case did out not inquired into the identity of the buyer and the circuit by which the weapon reached the Turkish gum-

Bardon, was arrested at the border crossing point at Kleinhaugsdorf because the Austrian rented car that he was driving contained - in addition to a declared lot of 15,000 rounds of ammunition - 300 undeclared pistols and seven semi-automatic rifles of Soviet design so oew that, according to an Austrian customs official, military experts said the type was unknown in the

equipped with special night-sights and are presumably meant for snipers, officials said. The type was

ISTANBUL - Energy Minister 1983 - about 100,000 barrels per

Led U.S. Marine Corps

identified as Draganov. The three factory cases in which they were contained were reported to have been addressed to Mr. Grillmayer.

dealer, Leopold Willers, who is the third person under arrest. The suspicion of an official Czechoslovak link to the smuggling arises from two factors. The first is the exceptional status enjoyed by

Mr. Bardon. Czechoslovakia puts severe limits on the free movement of its citi-Grillmayer's name had been used zens and has usually required those whom it allows to live abroad to Austria the pistol with which Meh- give up their Czechoslovak citizenits. Mr. Bardon, however, who holds no official Czechoslovak job, has been allowed to take an Austrian residence permit and frequently

visit Czechoslovakia for unknown

reasons. The second reason is the official incredulity that in a tightly cootrolled country Mr. Bardon could acquire, apparently in the Prague area, such quantities of weapons and transport them through the country and across the border. Czechoslovak customs inspection, even of ordinary tourists, tends to

he meticulous Austrian customs officials, usually casual, were said to have become suspicious when they observed the ease with which a car carrying a cleared cargo of ammuoitinn was passed by the Czechoslovak border officials. Mr. Willert was reported by the Austrian press agency APA to have testified that the pistols were destined for a cus-

tomer in Ghana. Thirty more Czechoslovak pis-

bero, a retired commandant of the Marine Corps and an early, out-spoken critic of U.S. involvement in the Vietnam War, died Thursday of a beart ailment in Alexandria,

Virginia. General Shoup, who woo the Medal of Honor for gallantry at Tarawa in the Pacific, said be believed the build-up of U.S. forces The pistols were said to have been in Vietnam was unjustified. He consigned to another weapons called President Lyndon B. Johnson's contention that the Vietnam War was vital to U.S. interests

"pure, unadulterated poppycock." In 1966, three years after his retirement from the Marine Corps, General Shoup told students at-Pierce College in Los Angeles that he did not think "as related to the present and future safety and freedom of this country" that "the whole of Southeast Asia was worth

a single American life." "People keep honking about four presidents having made com mitments," he said in an interview in 1968, "We never made commit ments, legal or otherwise, to furnish combat-type forces to any-

William Dole NEW YORK (NYT) - William Dole, 65, an artist who was known as one of the most distioguished practitioners of collage, died Thursday in Santa Barbara. Cali-

He worked with words - written, printed or engraved — as much as with color and texture. His raw materials were of every imaginable kind, including early maps, 19th-century hills and epbemera, old handwritten letters specimens of marbleized paper and papers imported from Japan for use in the manufacture of artificial

Vladimir Bakaric, 70, a vice pres tols were reported, without confirmation, to have been found in Mr.

Vladimir Bakaric, 70, a vice president of Yugoslavia for Croatia Willen's home. This led to specula-

New York Times Service NEW YORK — General David M. Shoup. 78. a World War 11 A world War 11 Joaquin Garrigues y DiazCañabate, 83, a leading legal scholar in Spain who helped develop the country's body of corporate law,

Bertha S. Adkins, 76. a former

David M. Shoup Dies;

Republican Party official and undersecretary of health, education and welfare, Friday in Easton, Shepperd Strudwick, 75, a character actor who appeared in more

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By CARL GEWIRTZ

New Issues Coming to Market Reach Unprecedented Number

PARIS — An imprecedented flood of new issues swamped the Eurobond market last week.

Thirty-one new issues totaling \$3.3 billion came to market and adding Sweden's jumbo floating rate note, amounted a week earlier, which was increased \$200 million to \$1.2 billion, the total jumps to \$4.5 billion. Twenty-one of the new issues are denominated in U.S. dollars of which 12 are offered on the installment plan. Investors are asked to put up from 10 percent to 25 percent of the purchase price now and the remainder in July, August or, in one case, November.

This brings the number of partly paid issues launched on the market to six payable in July and 12 in August, effectively mortgaging the catendar for those months by \$1.6 billion. That is not an overwhelming burden as the average monthly total last year amounted to \$4.3 billion.

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But what no one wants to talk about is the potential chaos in the market if purchasers decide not to put up the balance of money called for

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later this year.
For example, purchasers of the \$100-million, seven-year notes of Eurobond Yields put up 10 percent of the subscription price now and the balance in st. That down payment price is the lowest of any partly paid is-sue yet offered. However, if inter-ing a market price of 89% of the first price of 89% of the Eksportfinans paper), it would be more profitable for purwould be more profitable for purwould be more profitable for purwould be more profitable for purfor Week Ended Jan. 14 nans security and use the remaining \$900 commitment to buy a new

ing \$900 commitment to buy a new Cedel 63622 5500.9 861.3 ssue yielding 12.3 percent or more. Eurocleor 12,109.0 11,328.4 580.4 In another example, purchasers of Finance for Industry's \$75-million, five-year notes bearing a coupon of 11 percent are currently asked to put up 20 percent of the purchase price. However, if by Angust five-year paper is yielding 18.6 percent or more (implying a price of 78 or less for these notes), it would be more profitable to throw away the 20-percent down payment and use the 80 percent remaining to buy a new

Obviously, issuers, underwriters and purchasers expect bond market yields at mid-year to be lower than they are now. But that is a gamble and the risk of that wager is being borne by the issuer rather than the investor. As the above examples seek to demonstrate, rates would not

have to rise all that much to make some of the paper undesirable. No tears need be shed for the issuers who could discover in August there is no issue. In exchange for low down payments they are succeeding in selling paper at terms that could not otherwise be achieved. Coca-Cola, for a 30-percent down payment, is offering \$100 million of mine-

Cola, for a 30-percent down payment, is oftening \$100 million of mine-year bonds at par bearing a coupon of 9% percent — the lowest seen in more than two years — and General Electric Credit, asking for only 20 percent oow, is offering to pay 9.84 percent for eight-year money.

To put that in some perspective, the yield is about 58 basis points (100 equals one percentage point) below comparable U.S. government paper in New York. Allowing for the fact that the GEC is being traded at a discount of 1½ points, the yield is still 25 basis points under U.S. Treasury paper. This inversion of U.S. corporate paper fetching better terms in Europe than the federal government at home was seen lest year when Europe than the federal government at home was seen last year when investors were willing to pay almost any price to buy tax-free quality dollar securities. But the dollar today is falling on the foreign exchange

market.
The new-issue terms also bear no relationship to the much higher yields oo seasoned Eurobonds available in the secondary market. The discrepancy is so large that investment bankers, themselves underwriting the new issues, admit privately that the new terms are trrational, even though in the next breath they admit to cutthroat competition to win the

"If we waited to do deals that offered what we thought was value for money, we wouldn't be doing any business," a cynical manager said.

Bankers report that the once staid bond market has become one giant casino, crowded with speculators who for 10, 20 or 30 percent down now

Boltz, an economist with Cootingnare betting that interest rates will continue to fall sharply. The focus of tal Illinois National Bank and these speculators is not on the coupon or the yield of the paper they are Trust Co. The moderate growth in buying, but the potential capital gain if rates do fall. The capital gain can M-2, he added, "is very good be tremendous considering that the speculators will benefit from the news. appreciation on the full \$1,000 nominally valued bond even though they

have put up only a fraction of that face value. And with only 10 percent to 15 percent down, the downside risk in a lion, 8.5 percent higher at an annuworst case scenario is limited.

The word in the bond market is that the Japanese are among the the growth of M-2 within the centiggest players. They are said to be intrigued not only by the potential tral bank's target of 9.5-percent capital gains, but also by the potential foreign exchange gains. As-(Continued on Page 9, Col. 5)

Diamond Mine in Australia Set to Outshine the World

New York Times Service

CANBERRA, Australia -- With a marketing agreement in hand, Australia's Argyle diamond mine is set to begin production in what could become the world's largest diamond mining operation by 1984.

The mine, located near the shores of Lake Argyle in the state of Western Australia, is a joint venture of CRA, an affiliate of Rio Tinto-Zinc of

Britain, with 56.8 percent of the project; Ashton Mining, with 38.2 per-

cent, and Northern Mining, with 5 percent.

When the mine reaches full production, 20 million to 25 million carats of diamonds will be removed each year, reaping annual revenues of more than \$160 million a year but well below earlier estimates of \$325 million when diamond prices were higher. The annual production from Lake Argyle alone could reach almost half of total world diamond output. Last month, the Western Australia state government gave its approval for De Beers Consolidated Mines' Central Selling Organization to mar-

ket most of the mine's output until 1990. Whether South African-owned De Beers, whose CSO controls about 80 percent of the world diamond trade, should control marketing had been a source of contention in Australia. There had been questions about whether a foreign company should have control of such a big Australian project and about South Africa's separatist racial policies.

De Beers, with large mines in the Transvaal and the Associated Mines in Botswana, is the largest single diamond producer, but most of the diamonds from other African and Soviet centers are also sold through

The major function of the CSO is to balance diamond supply and demand. It creates demand through advertising. And extensive research has created a new market for industrial diamonds, with about 80 percent

of the Lake Argyle production falling into this category.

The CSO also controls supply by stockpiling diamonds during cyclical downturns. And control over this vast new supply of diamonds is particularly important because the current downturn is entering its third year.

The CSO's sales during the first six months of 1982 had fallen 15 percent, to about \$731 million, from a year earlier. It was reported at about the same time that the price of the benchmark one-carat flawless "D" grade diamond genstone had fallen to \$16,500 from \$60,000 about 18 months earlier. Uncontrolled flooding of the diamond market would cause prices to plummet further. The CSO also sets diamond prices for

Lake Argyle production in 1983 is expected to be about three million carats, worth about \$33 million. After 1985, when mining on the main' diamond vein at Lake Argyle gets under way, production is scheduled to be up to 25 million carats a year.



The De Beers group's own mines in southern Africa have a capacity of up to 19 million carats a year, but with a much larger proportion of valuable gemstones than Argyle's 5 percent to 18 percent ratio

The marketing agreement provides for the sale to the CSO of all gem diamonds, except for a small amount to be retained for independent marketing of polished gems from a cutting and polishing facility to be set up in Perth. This was the price extracted by the Western Australia state government for agreeing to the De Beers arrangement.

All cheap gem and industrial diamonds from the two major partners' share in the Argyle deposits will go to the CSO until mid-1984, but afterward one-fourth will be available for independent sale on the open

The third Argyle partner, Northern Mining, controlled by Alan Bond, a businessman, has won agreement to sell its 5-percent share independently and will do so through an Antwerp dealer.

Launching of the \$350-million joint venture is providing a bright spot in an otherwise depressed Australian mining scene.

M-2 Results Aid Hopes for Discount Rate Cut

NEW YORK — The latest U.S. U.S. Consumer Rates money supply figures showing that the M-2 measure ended the year on target have increased the likelihood that the Fed would soon reduce its

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discount rate, the interest that it charges on loans to commercial banks, according to participants in

the money markets. Many analysts had expected a larger increase in the M-2, the most closely watched measure of the U.S. money supply, in December than the \$14.1-billion increase reported Friday by the Federal Reserve Board because of the growing amount of money deposited in money market deposit accounts, which depository institutions were authorized to begin offering on Dec. 14. The M-2 includes both

The M-2 ended December at a seasonally adjusted \$2.0015 trilal rate than in November and left

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showed bittle enthusiasm. Traders said that they had expected the money supply figures to reflect of the money supply, which inmoderate growth, and prices in the market had already been discouoted in anticipation of the news. In eddition analysis and that many addition, analysts said that many traders had expected a cut in the discount rate to be announced Friday, and that prices fell when it became clear that the rate would not be changed immediately.

Io Friday's late trading, the rate on three-month Treasury bills declined slightly, to 7.55 percent.

Rates on six-month bills, offered at 7.65 percent, were unchanged on the day. Meanwhile, prices of longterm government bonds fell by more than one-half point.

Technical factors are likely to reinforce the mooey supply trend that is putting downward pressure al bank's target of 9.5-percent on the discount rate. For example, towth for the fourth quarter.

The credit markets, however, rency in circulation should signifi-

thereby drive down the interest rate on federal funds, overnight

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The central bank also said Fri-

than expected, leaving its growth below what had been targeted for the fourth quarter.

week that ended Jan. 5. Although as expected, the M-1 is regarded as a less reliable measure of the money supply than M-2, the decline beightened optimism of an impending decline in

"These are numbers that the Fed can feel very comfortable with," said Robert A. Schwartz of Merrill Lynch, adding that he expected a reduction in the discount rate with- Past

Politics, Oil Fears **Pressure Sterling**

By Bob Hagerry

PARIS - Though it steadied late last week after a rude full, the Brit-ish pound is likely to remain wobbly, according to foreign exchange analysis here and in London.

The problem is largely a mix of politics and oil. Worries about those two questions helped drive sterling down to \$1.5815 at Friday's closing in New York from \$1.611 a week before in London and to around 2.3543 Deutsche marks in New York from 3.760 DM a week earlier in London.

The market is afraid that the Labor Party could win national elec-tions to be held sometime between now and May 1984, the latest date by which Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher must call elections. Labor has indicated that it would push down the pound's value in an effort to revive exports, and a Labor government would be likely to reimpose foreign exchange controls, which were removed by the Conservative Party government in

At the same time, many market participants expect that Saudi Arabia will soon be forced to cut its oil prices because demand remains That would force down North Sea oil prices and lower Britain's oil revenue, a major prop for the pound over the last several

"At last the market has recognized that the pound is overvalued." an economist at a major British bank said Friday, He said the recent drop is out temporary but part of a "fundamental realignment" after several years of strength. In the past two months, the pound has fallen about 12 percent against other major currencies on a trade-weighted basis.

Nonetheless, he said the pound The central bank also reported that M-1, a measure of cash and requirements eige from the Fed or million, to \$477.8 billion for the major U.S. bank in Paris agreed. "I major U.S. bank in Paris agreed." would not see the pound falling substantially in the next few months," he said.

At the London stockbrokerage of James Capel, Keith Jones, the

analysts said, sterling is likely to fall further against the mark and the yen, but stabilize or even rise against the weakening dollar.

David Morrison, an economist at the brokerage of Simon & Coates, said sterling could well fall to \$1.50 in the next few months, then recover to \$1.75 by year-end as the dollar continues to weaken. Several other analysis put their year-end bets between \$1.50 and

Simon & Coates sees the pound continuing to fall against the mark. likely reaching about 3.50 DM by year-end. Grindlays Bank has forecast a year-end sterling rate of 3.20

Speculation that the Conservatives were planning to call an elec-tion soon was fueled last week by Mrs. Thatcher's trip to the Falklands. But the Conservative Party later denied such election plans.

Derek King, an economist at Midland Bank, said he saw little chance of a Labor victory, but noted: "Uncertainty is the bugbear

of the market." If Labor does win the next election, said Brendan Brown, an econ-omist at the brokerage of Phillips & Drew, the pound probably would drop 8 to 10 percent in a matter of days. Then, he said, the new government would be forced to call for aid from the Internation-

al Monetary Fund and rethink its foreign exchange policy, Many bankers and businessmen would like to see Mrs. Thatcher call an election soon, perhaps this summer, while she remains ahead in the opinion polls. By autumn, caused inflation to rise from its current annual rate of about 61/2 percent, since a weaker currency

means more expensive imports. In addition, the balance of payments surplus is expected to shrink should ease down in the weeks this year, and unemployment is not percent. The Thatcher government also will suffer if it is forced to drive up interest rates in an at-

tempt to defend sterling. Nonetheless, not all of the economic signs are negative, Inflatioo chief economist, ventured: "Fa- is relatively low by world standmous last words, but I think the ards, and government spending market is discounting ahead a lot seems under control, analysts say. of bad news at the moment," and Many also believe that the Thatchthe worst patch for the pound is er government, like the Reagan ast. government, is becoming more Over the coming months, several flexible in its economic policies.

Japan Banks Holding Out Over Brazil Debt

By Carl Gewirtz

PARIS — Tempers are beginning to fray over the continued refusal cheduling operation for Brazil, pan. U.S. bankers now accuse the Japa
"Pleas, threats, cajoling have all banks who make a market in that nese of bad faith, saying that they been useless," a senior U.S. banker currency cocktail and who are eare running down their interbank said. "There's a total lack of coopings to find new funding opportunities to Brazil while talks drag on the cooping the same of the cooping that the same of the

salvage operation for Brazil is made up of four parts: A \$4.4-billion loan of new money, a rescheduling of \$4 billion of principal repayments due this year into an

provide the cash for the new loan. market lines."

The 121 banks falling into this Meanwhile, in Europe, efforts pealing to central banks, which will group are to not meanwhile are to not meanwhile

fair to exclude from the calcula- that it is paying more than it did tions short-term loans of which last year by paying higher commis-U.S. banks hold a major portion. sions while holding other charges lucluding short-term foans would uncha reduce the amount of new money the Japanese are being asked to last year's borrowing and interest supply and increase the amount of charges are an eighth of a point

The U.S. banks argue that Bra- either the prime rate or the London clusively trade related and there-fore self-liquidating — that is, pre-Interest will be set at 0.25 perand Venezuela, where massive cases of deposit by 1.25 percentage short-term borrowings were used in points for two consecutive weeks, represent an overhang that cannot nation of this margin over the CD repaid without being res- rate for the first three years and 1.3

to join, providing \$25.5 million of of Japanese banks to join the res- the \$727 million expected from Ja-

instead of maintaining their expo-sure as requested.

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isters who must be consulted but who are never in their office." eight-year loan, and a maintenance This banker said the Japanese tion altogether and raised \$1.2 bil-of existing short-term trade credits banks "are taking advantage" of lion through a publicly offered (said by Brazil to total \$8 billion) their nonacceptance of the new-floating rate note. Its aim, in addi-and money-market lines of credit money loan in order not to comply ton to achieving slightly better devaluation of the franc (possibly conditions than it could have in the coupled with a revaluation of the

group are to put up amounts equal were made to reopen the syndicatto about 12 percent of their out ed loan market traumatized by the
standing medium— and long-term debt problems of Latin America.

Denmark amounced plans to raise 31-billion, seven-year credit mostly medium— to long-term have and drew applause from the marbalked at this, saying that it is naving more than it did

Meanwhile, in Europe, efforts peating to central banks, which will not commit funds for longer periods and insist on having market—
by Sri Lanka, is raising \$25.8 million for eight years, offering half a point over Libor for the first two amount was increased from the amount was increased from the calculation of their state of the stat

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zil's short-term debt is almost ex- interbank offered rate as the base export finance that is repaid out of centage point over the prime rate the proceeds of the export sale. The for three years and 0.30 point for Americans contrast this with the the final four. If the prime rate exsituations in Mexico, Argentina ceeds the rate for 90-day certifiplace of long-term finance and thus the loan charge shifts to the combi-

heduled. points over the CD rate for the fi-So far, \$3.4 billion of the new-nal four years. money loan has been spoken for. Banks choosing Libor as their The Japanese are the sole national lending base will receive half a

provide the money in either dollars or European currency units. The ECU option is aimed to attract

> The loan is regarded as a major test of market sentiment and will show whether the numerous small banks who have traditionally participated in deals are still in the planning to tap the bank market market or whether only major

money center banks are active.

holdout," one angry participant said. Only two of the 24 Japanese banks that were asked have agreed banks that were asked banks that were agreed banks that were asked banks that we

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Sweden chose to skirt the ques-(said to total \$10 billion).

Banks holding more than \$50 package. "Tempers are up," he bank market (a maturity that can Deutsche mark) following the million in medium- and long-term said, because "the Japanese are run to 10 years), was to find a March 6 West German federal elections and the March 13 French

France is drawing down the final \$400 million of its recent \$4-billion credit that was raised to bolster the

government's resources to defend the franc. With that now fully drawn, the government will be stepping up its recourse to the loan and bond markets, bankers report. EDF is expected to raise \$300 million this week through a public offering of floating rate notes carrying warrants to buy fixed-rate bonds while another state agency is through a syndicated loan.

The repatriation of these proceeds into francs will help relie the pressure on the franc in the foreign exchange market. However, all

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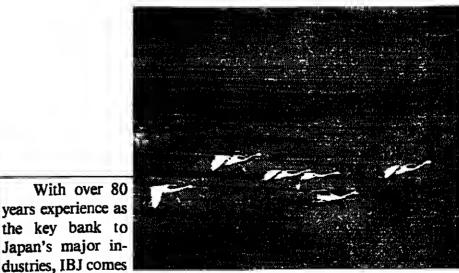
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New Issues Flood Mart

(Continued from Page 7) suming that the dollar continues to next six months, fewer yen will taken over by the government, acest bank, has a foreign debt of "What they've done has not been have to be spent to buy the dollars cording to a central bank spokes 52.12 billion: Banco de Santiago well thought through nor made needed to complete the purchase man.

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Mideast money is also cited, Although much higher yields on similar quality bonds are available in the debt of the financial instituthe secondary market, bankers re-tions. port that many investors, European as well as Mideastern, are psychologically just not prepared to would be fully guaranteed pay a premium. For example, an coupon of 14 percent. That premium reduces the yield on that bond to 11% percent, which is almost two full percentage points more than can be earned on the new GE

This discrepancy poses a fundamental problem for the market. New issues coming to market will be forced for competitive reasons to bear terms relative to other new issues rather than to secondary market yields. And as new-issue terms are pitched to the specula-tors, genuine investors — if there are any still left - will either turn to the secondary market and ulti-mately drive yields there down to those prevailing in the new-issue market or they will withdraw from the market to await a return to san-

ity. This does not spell good news for the primary market. International Herald Tribune

Doubts Cast on Chile Bank Debt

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches decline against the yen over the nancial institutions liquidated or Banco de Chile, the country's large ican countries.

He said that under a law to be An equally large number of play- published during the weekend only ers, many senior bankers believe. existing deposits in pesos in the fiare banks and dealers normally acup on inventory that was run down nancial institutions liquidated will tee, the spokesman said.

However, there were conflicting reports concerning the future of

Central bank sources earlier told Reuters that the foreign debt And private banking sources

investor now has to pay \$1.010 to told Reuters that Carlos Caceres, buy Campbell Soup's nominally the central bank president, had valued \$1,000 bond bearing a handed foreign bankers a document during a meeting Friday say-ing that administrators appointed in the five financial institutions in which the government has inter-vened had been instructed to honor their principal and interest payments.

The document added that this policy will be maintained until a contact has been made with foreign creditors to jointly analyse the situation, the banking sources added.

However. The New York Times reported that it appeared from a cable from the Chilean government Friday to bankers in New York that the government had agreed three institutions that it planned to liquidate. But these banks — Banco Hipotecario de Chile, Banco Unióo de Fomento and Financiera Ciga. a finance company - have almost no foreign debt.

U.S. \$175,000,000 National Westminster

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By The Chase Manhattan Bank, N.A., London Agenl Bank

owes \$832 million, and Banco de clear," a leading New York banker

foreign debts. The government action, announced Thursday by Economics tive in this market looking to load teed. The deposits in the three fi- Minister Rolf Luders, reflected severe financial difficulties for severin the traditional year-end squaring not be covered by the state guaran- al of Chile's largest banking and in-

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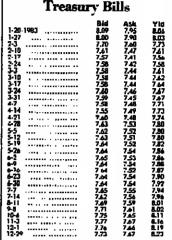
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In contrast, some of the five York bankers, who predicted that SANTIAGO—The Chilean government will not guarantee the same length of the country into the same length of the country into the same kind of liquidity crisis that has plagued other Latin Amer-

Concepcion has \$297 million in said. Another said: "It's going to have the effect of sealing off the

borders for foreign money.





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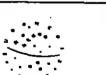
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With decade-long ties to the City,

Yamaichi International (Europe) Limited looks forward

to expansion and diversification of its securities services. By Dick Wilson

AN INSIDE VIEW OF YAMAICHI INTERNATIONA

FIRST LONDON OFFICE ESTABLISHED IN 1964

Yamaichi International (Eutope) Limited is ten years old today. lapan's premier securities house. Yamaichi Secunties Co., Ltd., first opened a representative office in Kennedy's changes in the U.S. taxation system induced Japanese borrowers to move to the London market. The \$5 million Convertible Debenture issue of Canon. the camera and office machine maker, was the first highly successful entry by Yamaichi into the London market, since then it has never looked back.

Today the business has greatly diversified. The representative office grew first into a branch in 1970 and then into a separate U.K. company with authorised capital of £1 million. The staff now exceeds seventy, occupying a suite of modem offices at Finsbury Pavement.



Securities there is Katsuhisa Yamada, but you would be lucky to find him in The London company co-ordinates the work of four other Yamaichi offices in Europe and one in Bahrain, and Mr. Yamada spends about half his time travelling.

"I took up my post here in London," he said, "only last month, and already I have had to make two trips to Switzerland and one to the USA." (He was here once before, as Managing Director of the London Company. in the late 1970s.

Yamaichi International (Europe) -YIE-engages in a wide variety of investment banking facilities especially major European and yen currency underwriting, stockbroking and dealing Under its Managing Director, Hitoshi Tanaka, who was last here as a London School of Economics student twenty years ago, ii helps lapanese corporations in their foreign debi and equity financing and is recognised in Japan as a leader in this

Another side to YIE's activities Is assisting Japanese companies in their direct investments in Europe, including mergers and acquisitions, and advising institutional clients on overseas portfolio investments in bonds and equities. In 1981 it handled almost 30% of domestic Japanese and 24% of those in foreign bonds.

In the reverse direction. YIE advises European governments. governmental entities and private corporations as well as international organisations in both public and private yen financing on the yen capital matket in Tokyo. In 1981 it helped Yamaichi Securities to gain the top position in terms of lead management on this yen capital market.

IN 1982, YIE TOOK PART IN 240 U.K., **EURO-BOND ISSUES** As an indicator of the volume

of underwriting business, YIE in

1982 lead-managed or co-managed no fewer than 44 Euro-currency issues. The company participated as a syndicate member in altogether no less than 240 UK and

Euro-bond issues. In the early part of the year YIE participated in several zero coupon bonds, the popularity of which has been well established in Japan. Although the markets were lacklustte for much of this past year, the Japanese stock market started to revive in October with lower US interest rates and a stronger yen, and a better year

is expected in 1983. The weakened yen provided an incentive for YIE to diversify further, away from its traditional lapanese equity-linked business.

and move into the bond business. This means Japanese Government bonds, yen 'samurai' bonds, Euro-yen bonds and Euro-dollar bonds YIE has, of course, been involved in Euro-bonds by nonlabanese issuers but it understandably feels it should build on its special advantage of knowing lapan Since its strength derives from Japan, now the second largest economy in the capitalisi world. YIE believes that its activities should relate as far as pos-

sible to Japan. There is no shortage, after all of Western investors anxious to buy lapanese equities and bonds. And lapan continues to be a major source of funds for investment outside



"In London." says Hitoshi "Tony Tanaka, 'our speciality is the merit or attraction of Japan. We should make full use of that."

GROWING EMPHASIS ON INTERNATION-ALISATION

At the same time, internationalisation is the password of the day. International business now accounts for some 10% of Yamaichi's total business, and many of its senior executives would like to raise that ratio to 20% or even 25% in the very near future YIE is also seeking to strengthen its capability of doing all kinds of European business even where

lapan is not directly involved. Under this programme a higher proportion of local employeesincluding more professionally trained and graduate Britons-will be used "lapanese firms." says Tanaka. "lag behind some European and American firms in localising their management. We hope to attract local staff of a calibre to become eventually members

of the YIE management group." I asked him if the difficulty and time consumed in learning the lapanese language would not defeat this plan

'That is not the real obstacle." he replied. "We have in Tokyo a young Englishman called Church who speaks fluent Japanese. That is a technical challenge which can be overcome.

The real problem is the way of thinking and social behaviour and decision-making It is vital for us to educate such people into how we reach our decisions."

Yamaichi Research Institute has supplied two full-time staff from Tokyo to the YIE office and a new time-sharing system of communications will allow all the European

offices to be better and more quickly informed.

In the old days YIE used to be asked by UK investors, for example, which of two alternative lapanese stocks was more promising. Now the question is likely to be the relative merits of a lapanese and an Australian or

EFFICIENT COMMU-NICATIONS LINK YIE OFFICE NETWORK

The six offices in Europe and the Middle East have hitherto operated more or less in parallel but are now moving to a more systematised telationship co-ordinating theit work more integrally. Each retains its independent status formally. but in their business relations they are acting as one.

Yamaichi International (Nederland! N.V.in Amsterdam is unique in holding a full banking license tsomething which the Bank of England does not allow YIE to have, although Japan, like the USA. blurs the line of distinction between dealing in securities and money) and it operates closely with YIE as one integrated organisation. YIE has been seeking for more international dealings by using the YIN facility. If YIE could get a banking license, they would facilitate and promote international activities, much more than the

present level. Frankfurt has Yamaichi International (Deutschland) Gmbh: Zurich has Yamaichi (Switzerland). A representative office in Paris completes the European presence of Yamaichi, and the representative office at Bahrain is currently tucked under London's wing too.

"Eventually." says Yamada. we will form a local company in Bahrain to look after our Middle East interests independently of London. So Tokyo. New York. London, Bahrain and Hong Kong will be the five centres forming the core of our international

TRADITIONAL VIRTUES PLUS **MODERN IDEAS**

Nor is it a question of each one of these just relating to Tokyo Mr. Yamada goes to New York because 'the New York marker is becoming important again, and it is vital for us to strengthen the tie-up between our Landon and New York offices. The triangular relationship | listeners.

is very important." Recently YIE decided to join the London Futures Market in order to be able to hedge its risks over fluctuating interest tates and currency exchange rates When the matket comes to embrace the yen. as it is hoped it soon will. YIE will benefit even more from its services.

"It is not yet." Tanaka observes. an appropriate vehicle for longerterm Euro-bonds. It will be difficult to know which issues-by governments, the World Bank, the EEC or whatever-to use as guide-posts"

A new feature of Yamaichi's services in Japan is a Special Fund for Venture Capital available to new companies Yamaichi has a special department for young business development and is making an unusual effort in this direction.

"We advise them how to organise their future capital structure," says Tanaka. "We take an interest in them. Who knows, they might become

another Matsushita or Hitachi!" European companies are eligible. of course, and Tanaka has already sent several applications to Tokyo for processing.

Yamaichi is the doyen of Japanese securities nouses. Its foundation goes back to 1897, long before the other three competitors in Japan's "Big Four". For many years the leader in business volume, it remains the strongest in corporate and institutional business and is always to the fore in the new issues stakes. In 1982, it introduced three particularly unique and attractive companies to be newly listed on the Tokyo Stock Exchange: namely. Sanrio. Terumo, and Gakken, all of which turned out to be big hits of the year, and were sought after by many foreign as

well as domestic investors. Among Japanese investors it has a reputation for those old fashioned virtues of solidity and worth, not indulging in the same high-pressured sales talk as others. In the city of London, too. its clients and fellow dealers-underwriters are discovering the virtue in these characteristics of Yamaichi.

About this time of the year YIE holds an investment seminar in London At last year's meeting. the speaker from Yamaichi Research Institute. Mr. Tsuji. predicted before the large audience that the Tokyo stock market would decline He was proved to be right. When he speaks again at this yeat's seminar it will be no surprise if he faces many enthusiastic



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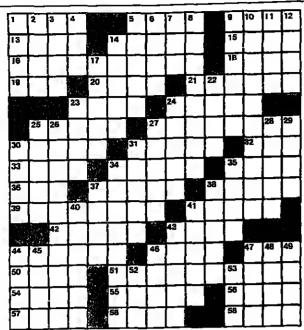
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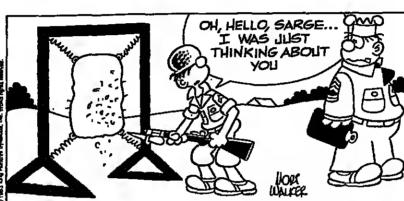
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THE LETTERS OF GUSTAVE FLAUBERT, 1857-1880

Selected, edited and translated by Francis

Steegmuller. Illustrated. 309 pp. \$15.

Reviewed by Anatole

THE second volume of "The Letters of Gustave Flaubert"
which reaches from 1857 when

"Madame Bovary" was published to his death in 1880 — is just as good as the first. While it does not

have the advantage of his famous

reflections on what has been called "the first modern novel," it's a

fuller and more tragic picture of

Certainly, his correspondence with the novelist George Sand is

more consistently interesting than his letters to his mistress Louise

Colet in the first volume. When he

wasn't talking to Madame Colet about his work, his letters to her

often seemed absent-minded and

conventional. But he took George

Sand seriously, be trusted her, and

this made his letters to her more intimate, in the best sense, and

more revealing. In ber letters to him, which are included, she comes

through as intelligent and affec-

tionate, almost always giving him

good advice and showing extraor-

dinary tact in dealing with his

Flaubert's career as an author

was something of a mystery.

Though he remarked that he didn't

the peculiar exoticism that baunted

Flaubert said that "Bovary' in-

spired in me a long disgust for

bourgeois ways," and "Salammbo"

and "St. Anthony" may have been

his attempt to escape the bour-

Flaubert, the man.

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and shared bourgeois tastes. Steegmuller, who selected, edito and translated these letters, i again a deft, witty and indefaig able commentator, stitching Flan bert's correspondence togethe with all the background informa-tion needed in order to apprecia it. Among his many fine aside Steepmuller tells us that Proust & liked the style of Flanbert's letter even more than that of his noves that Gide kept his volumes of ther beside his bed like a bible the Henry James hardly knew what a say about them, stammering on that Flaubert was "impossible as; companion," yet "deeply refusi ing as a reference."

Flaubert was certainly unluch in his reviewers. Except for Ma in his reviewers. Except for "Madame Bovary" and the innocons. "Three Tales," he got a very poor reception, which puzzled him a first and which he later explained by saying "I annoy," pointing on that critics took his usual isolation in the country as a sign of disding the country and that he maintained that he maintained that he When he maintained that he wa "untouched," by criticism, adding "never have I been less upset" seemed clear that he protested to

choose his subjects, that they were "The Letters of Gustav Flan imposed," it's difficult to underbert" are full of good lines. "Die section is revenge." "Living strike stand why he didn't continue to do what he did so well in "Madame Bovary." Perhaps the explanation lies in the fact that Flaubert himme as a trade I wasn't cut out for. "The sense of the grotesque ha self was the beginning of a move-ment in French novels away from kept me from slipping into a discr derly life." "Success is a result; must not be a goal." In speaking them until his time. It's as if his a friend's desire to be elected to the French Academy, Flaubert sai career went backwards; after writ-"When you are somebody, wh ing the first modern novel, he regressed to "Salammbo," and later to "The Temptation of St. Antho-ny," Meanwhile, the French novel wish to be something?" After more of his close friends had died, he d served that "my heart is becomin was moving in the direction of Bal-zac, Zola and Maupassant. a necropolis,"

More than most writers, Flat bert was a martyr to his work, as ally bying with no company but h goldfish and endlessly researching books that gave little latitude to h talent. Perhaps, if we except "Medame Bovary," these letters were someone said, "his best novel." Remembered for being the first to see that the novelist has no right to e press opinions, Flaubert saved h opinions for his letters. He ha promised to turn critic in his of age in order to let out a lifetime. suppressed indignation, an though he didn't live to carry a this threat, his letters did it for hir Nobody else has ever been so el quently exasperated.

Anasole Broyard is on the staff The New York Times. .

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By Alan Truscott

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Making four spades presented no problem, but South wanted to increase his match points by collecting an overtrick. Since West led the spade jack, it was wildly unlikely that he held the ace-king of diamonds, which would have been a normal lead. So to justify his double. West must have the heart king and the club queen.

Thus, after drawing trumps,
South made the subtle play of leading the heart ace followed by the
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king, for it would expose the queto a ruff-out later.
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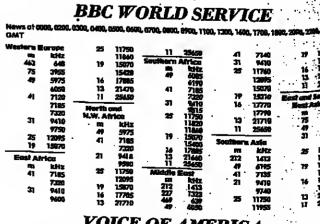
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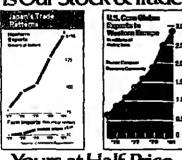
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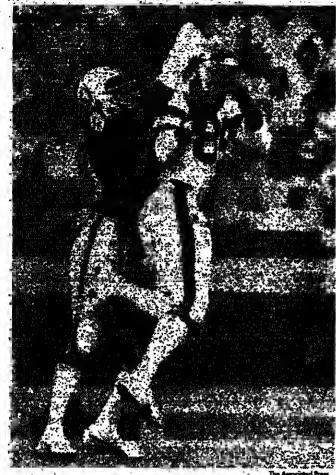
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New York receiver Wesley Walker, beating Raider defend-er Ted Watts to set up the winning touchdown Saturday.

By Dave Kindred

Washington Past Service

WASHINGTON — Handsome as the night is long, smiling in the sunlight of a day he'll love always. John Riggins took his helmet off at midfield and with a flourish bowed deeply — his arm across his waist — first in the folks on the south side of RFK Stadium

spinning, to those on the north side.

The 54,000 or so screaming meemies loved it as

much as Riggins did.

Paint a picture of the moment (get the blotch of

mud on his cheek, leave the grass stains the jersey;

remember that his pants were ripped, a pad pecking out on his thigh). Then hang the picture somewhere important, like in Pig Alley where the hallowed hogs

Hang it high and shine a light on No. 44 as he raises

Riggins ran with the ball 37 times on Saturday. No

Redskin ever carried so often. He gained 185 yards, much of them in the gritty little-bitty chunks that

caused some RFK customers to blow diesel-truck

horns in appreciation. No Redskin ever ran so far in a

He made the Redskins' first touchdown possible

Not bad for an old man of 33, a veritable antique in game, not the sideshow, is life.

a business where running backs age years in hours. In ... "That's what I love about sports, man. There is a Riggins's 11th season, he's never been better. The joy basic reality when it is just me and the job to be done, is he knows it. He knew it 10 days ago when he went the game and all its skills. And the reward wasn't what

It was an extraordinary thing Riggins did then how I felt at the moment I was exhibiting my special Whatever anyone ever said of Riggins — he wore a skill. How I felt about me. That's what's true. That's

Mobawk harrent with the New York Jets, he sat out a what I loved. All the rest is a matter of opinion.

year arguing money with the Redskins - they never Hank Wilhams could sing it. John Riggins is it.

and scored the second on a two-yard run of brutal

beauty. When it got to be 21-7, Riggins had carried the ball 20 more times to stash away the victory.

playoff game. Riggins never ran so far as a pro.

said he didn't love the moment of combat. • •

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So right before the first playoff game, after resting a

thigh two games, Riggins went to Gibbs's locker

room. "He came right to me," Gibbs said, "and he just said, "I'm really getting down the road, I don't have many of these left. I've been out two weeks and

And with a minute to play against the Vikings, Gibbs, who knew he had seen something special, sent

in a substitute so that Riggins could come off to the standing ovation he earned. Olivier as Hamlet never

carned a how on stage any more than Riggins carned a story of the stage any more than Riggins carned Saturday, and as time ticked away Riggins walked the sidelines, holding his helmet, trading hand slaps with people as happy as he was.

With a hundred reporters wanting to talk to him, Riggins yet stayed in character — Riggins playing Riggins, a fascinating role. He picked up his tiking boots, sent a man to get his saddlebags and clothes (an army suming camoullage outfit) and beat it out of

(an army surplus camoullage outfit) and beat it out of the stadium, saying nothing to the press.

He walked through the parking lot, 15 minutes after his bows, and a woman ran to him. She took off her shoe; Riggins autographed it. Fans who think of Rig-gins as an 18-wheeler irresistible force draped a

banner over his car: "Run on Diesel Power, High Oc-

Riggins stashed his saddlebags in the car trunk (no

briefcase for a man who once rode his motorcycle from Kansas to Washington) and then took a beer from his hometown buddles waiting to tell him, as one

did, "Best game ever, John. High school, college, pro,

Riggins sipped at the beer, threw back a swig of tequila and, before driving away, said to his buddy,

Riggins won't talk to reporters because (and this is a guess because be has never explained it) he didn't like what the newspapers said during his contract squabble with the Redskins two years ago. Two re-

juests Saturday - "Can we talk about the bows,

So much to ask him. Instead, ask around about him.

George Starke, the Redskins' veteran tackle: "John

Doug Martin, the Vikings' defensive end: "A Sher-

is a living representation of an old Hank Williams. song — hard-drinkin', hard-fightin', ornery. That's

John?" - were met with only a stare.

what makes him a good runner."

a hand to wave his thanks in return.

Riggins Weighs In, Bows Out

Dolphins, Jets, Redskins Victors in NFL Playoffs

the opening half.

the closing seconds.

running for a third, the National Football League Miami Dolphins Dan Fouts, who riddled the Dolrouted the San Diego Chargers, 34 phins for 433 yards in a 41-38 13, here Sunday to reach the Amer- playoff victory last year, had a 28ican Conference ritle game.

The Dolphins earned the right to day: the Jets defeated the Los Angeles Raiders on Saturday in the other AFC semifinal Washington, a victor over Min-nesota, will be at home to the

winner of Sunday night's Green Bay-Dallas NFC semifinal. Woodley converted two first-half turnovers into TD passes of 3 yards to Nat Moore and 6 yards to Ronnie Lee before the Dolphins turned to their league-leading de-

ense for their fifth straight tri-Uwe von Schamann added field goals of 24 and 23 yards and Andra Franklin scored on a 3-yard run as Miami took a 27-13 halftime lead. Woodley added a 4-yard TD run early in the fourth period and Miami's swarming defense then braced for the most prolific passing

Super Bowl ring at the end of the tunnel."

Oh yes - Pig Alley. Pig Alley is the row of lockers at Redskin Park that is home to "the Hogs," those

dainty bruisers of the offensive line who, on seeing

Riggins's body, made him the only nonlineman elevated to hogdom. "The guy weighs 260, and he runs like that," said Starke, who exaggerated maybe 30 pounds but had the proper tone of wonder at the way Riggins

This is the way: He starts -well, not slowly, but he

isn't the butterfly that Walter Payton is. Running in-

side, he is content to slug straight ahead, never need-

ing the egotistic dance of an O.J. Simpson. When the

Hogs get him a notch, he then with his third or fourth

step is ready to run over people, or, given encourage-

What to make of Riggins? Consider a passage from "North Dallas Forty," Pete Gent's football novel. The

words those of Phil Elliott, a veteran for whom the

other people thought or how much they paid me, but

"That's what I love about sports, man. There is a

The Super Bowl is Jan. 30.

carries the ball,

ment, run around them.

Walker, who caught seven passes for 169 yards, got open deep over the middle and Todd was right on

Jets 17, Raiders 14

Los Angeles, the Raiders beat

Dierking scored on the next

Jeff Bostic, Redskin center: "John's on the down-"It was a simple play — be just sprinted by everybody," Todd said of Walker. "They were challenging us to throw on them, and with side of his career now, and I'm sure he can see that He will be a free agent when this season ends, able to sell himself to the highest bidder, even the new receivers like Wesley Walker you United States Football League. Someone asked the have to take a chance and go for Redskin general manager, Bobby Beathard, if he inthe end zone." tended to submit the necessary offer by Feb. 1.
"We'll probably hand-deliver it." Beathard said.

We knew we were up against one of the better teams in the league and one of the best teams we've faced this year, if oot the best team," said Tom Flores, the Raider coach, "We knew we had to play our best fontball and not have turnovers." Each team committed five turnovers.

Todd completed 15 of 24 passes for 277 yards on the afternoon, and linebacker Lance Mehl had two key interceptions for New York in the waning moments.

The Jets took a 7-0 lead on a 20yard pass from Todd to Walker with 3:52 remaining in the first pe-riod to climax an 80-yard, 10-play drive. They made it 10-0 with 2:55 left in the balf on a 30-yard field goal by Pat Leahy.

But the Raiders drove 77 yards | East 26, West 25 with the second-half kickoff to In Stanford, California, quartermake it 10-7, Marcus Allen scoring back Tony Eason combined with a 4-yard run. Los Angeles took a Illinois teammate Oliver Williams 14-10 lead oo a 57-yard pass from on three fourth-period completions Plunkett to Malcolm Barnwell with to rally the East a 26-25 victory 1:14 left in the third period.

tend the lead early in the fourth 44-yard pass to Oliver that set up a Hare, who later said he preferred end Joe Klecko recovered a fumble Bryant of North Carolina and then at Twickenham, because of the by Allen at the the Jet 14.

But with 15 seconds to go, and the Raiders with the ball at the New York 34, Plunkett hit Branch Quarterbnack John Efway of Stanat the Jet 18. It seemed that Branch would be able to get out of bounds, stopping the clock for a field goal attempt, but Kirk Springs belted the Los Angeles receiver and the ball popped into the air. New York's Jerry Holmes grabbed it near the sideline to end the threat.

Redskins 21, Vikings 7 In Washington, John Riggins game, The East recovered three thundered through Minnesota's de-West fumbles, scoring on all three.

Compiled by Our Staff From Dispatches

But San Diego, which set a fense for 185 yards and a touchMIAMI — With David Woodley tecord by averaging 326 passing down and set up two scoring passes throwing for two touchdowns and yards per game in 1982, was by Jee Theismann as the Redskins blanked over the last 30 minutes, beat the Vikings on Saturday, 21-7.

Riggins carried 37 times, one short of the NFL playoff record.

Theismann completed 17 of 23

yard scoring pass to Charlie Joiner passes for 213 yards, including touchdowns of 3 yards to tight end but was intercepted five times. host the New York Jets next Sun- Clinck Muncie scored San Diego's Don Warren and 18 yards to wide other TD on a 1-yard run late in receiver Alvin Garrett. Riggins, who a week earlier had The Dolphins (9-2) held San Di-rolled up 119 yards on 25 carries in

ego scoreless in the third period be-fore Woodley capped a 62-yard drive with his 4-yard quarterback draw 42 seconds into the fourth pe-on 19 rusbes as the Redskins riod. The 7-4 Chargers were seek- opened a 21-7 lead. Said Redskin guard Russ

ing their third straight AFC title "The line wanted to block The Jets (8-3) lost both of their 1982 encounters with Miami — 45for John because of some of the things the Minnesota players had 28 in New York in the seasonsaid earlier in the week. They said opener and 20-19 here a month ago we were big and slow. We took that von Schamann's field goal in as a challer Two of Riggins's yards came on

a scoring plunge on a fourth-andinches situation for Washington's second touchdown with a minute New York Jets, 17-14, as Richremaining in the opening period. The Vikings, who had the ball for and Todd's 45-yard pass to Wesley Walker set up a 1-yard scoring plunge by Scott Dierking with 3:45 less than two minutes up to that time, then scored when Ted Brown swept around left end for 18 yards. Theismann, who had hit Warren

with a scoring strike to cap a 66yard drive with the opening kickoff, followed Minnesota's toucbdown 1:57 into the second quarter by driving the 'Skins 70 yards in eight plays for their third touchdown. He began it with an 11-yard pass to Garrett and completed it with the 18-yarder to the 5-font-7, 178-pound wide receiver. In the second half the Vikings

tried to maintain possession on fourth-down plays. On a fourthand-6 at the Washington 29, Tommy Kramer's pass to Sam McCullum in the end zone was batted away by a leaping Joe Lavender. land's points were kicked. Washington took over and metbodically pusbed deep into

Minnesota territory, stalling at the 12-yard line. Mark Moseley, who admiration was outspoken. had missed wide to the left on a 47-"That was as unstoppable a try yard field goal attempt just before halftime, kicked an apparent 29yarder. But the field goal was nullified on a penalty.

With 10:23 to play the Vikings faced a fourth-and-7 on the Washington 15. Kramer, passing out of a shotgun formation, was sacked by defensive end Tony McGee, killing Minnesota's final serious threat.

over the West in Saturday's 58th The Raiders threatened to ex- Shrine Game. Eason completed a

patterns. Ouarterbnack John Elway of Stanford completed 21 of 34 passes for 202 yards while steering the West to a 25-14 lead after three periods. East Wins Hula Bowl in Honolulu, Pitisburgh quater-

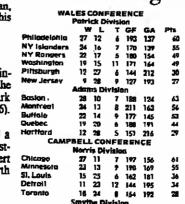
back Dan Marino passed for 156 yards and one touchdown to lead the East to a 30-14 victory over the West in Saturday's Hula Bowl

> To make matters worse, England's most valuable forward, lock Maurice Colclough, limped off after one minute of the second half on his way to knee surgery Saturday night.

> French Coach Jacques Fouroux saw that as a turning point. England's three remaining adversaries, starting with Wales in Cardiff on Feb. 5, are presumably relieved to learn that Colclough is out for the

> But "in any case the French were definitely the better side," said Smith. They proved it, after Bob Hesford came on for Colclough, by

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France Beats England, 19-15

FIVE NATIONS RUGBY

hind, 15-9. The English forwards

stormed downfield. Rives and com-

New lock Jean Condom won a

lineout. Blanco erupted into attack

and passed acrobatically as he was

tackled. New right wing Philippe Sella snatched the ball off his boot-

laces and hurtled across in the cor-

ner. Blanco missed the conversion.

collapsed at that point, but this one

recovered with strong pressure that

frittered away the French lead. Yet

when the forwards had done their

backs usually lost the ball.

called it a day.

Past English teams might have

pany stormed right back,

By Bob Donahue

International Herald Tribune LONDON - French rugby Captain Jean-Pierre Rives lost the toss but won the game, and now it is France instead of England that lonks most likely to win the Five Nations championship this year.

French backs, Instantaneous pass-On that, England's players, offies put new left wing Patrick Estève cials and commentators agreed afacross in the corner, Fullback ter the French won bere Saturday. Serge Blanco converted.

Blanco also converted Paparem-19-15. scoring three tries. All Engborde's try, putting England be-

The reason we score tries is because we can't kick," Rives half-joked Saturday night. But Englisb

as I've ever seen," said Captain Steve Smith of the second one, scored from the back of a lineout by 34-year-old Robert Paperemborde, a six-foot, 230-pound prop.

The ball was thrown in loog to No. 8 Jean-Luc Joinel, who tapped it down as Paparemborde trundled past him to turn the corner and plow forward with the rest of the pack instantly regrouped and shoving behind him.

It was dry under foot, but a bad day for placekickers. New flyhalf Didier Cambérabéaro missed repeatedly for France, But so, as Smith pointed out fairly, did England's veteran fullback. Dusty uarter until New York defensive 12-yard touchdown run by Kelvin 10 play away rather than at home hit Williams on throws of 29 and 6 London stadium's puzzling wind

> Saturday the west-southwester swirled in the corners and gusted in varying angles at various beights. although the general effect was to strongly favor the team with the wind at its back. That was England in the first half, since Rives had lost the toss.

> After Cambérabero's long drop gave the visitors a brief lead, two penalty goals by Hare and a drop by flyhalf Les Cusworth made it 9at halftime. The margin looked slim now that France would have the wind for the last 40-odd minutes. Besides, Paperemborde's pack was already ascendant.

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piling up three tries between the award England a scrum under the second half's tenth and the twenti-bar, said he had never seen anyone try that before, "Blanco," said Joinel launched the first one Smith, "is a genius."

from the back of a scrum, drawing | Ireland Edges Scotland, 15-13 England's first line of defense and In Edinburgh, Ireland built up a sending flanker Laurent Rodriguez 15-4 lead with the help of a strong barging ahead to release the wind in the first half, then hung on against the wind to edge Scotland Saturday, 15-13.

Irish flyhalf Ollie Campbell, with eleven points from a conversion and three penalties, was about par for the course on his way loward the Five Nations record of 46 points that he set in 1980 and equaled last year.

Scottish center Jim Renwick kicked a drop and new fullback Peter Dods, replacing the injured Andy Irvine, kicked two penalties. But Dods missed an early conversion and again with a late penalty when the Scots were closing in and when his kick could have won them the game

Each side managed a try. Scotland's came early in the second quarter from the new captain, Roy Laidlaw, who ran wide from a scrum and beat veteran Irisb flanker Fergus Slattery to the line.

job and left French defenders frantically out of position. English Ireland replied before halftime when center Mike Kiernan beat Two more Hare penalties were Dods to the ball after left wing all Smith's men could provide a Moss Finn burst through the midhome crowd that roared its support until Irish referee David Burnett

It was the first time since 1976 that both traveling teams won on There was another acrobatic opening day, Ireland's next match contribution from Blanco, when he will be at home on Feb. 19 against leaped up to block a penalty at- the other opening-day winner, tempt just as Hare's shot seemed France. The Scots meanwhile play about to hit the crossbar. Burnett. France in Paris on Feb. 5, when who decided to call a knock-on and I reland will be idle.

Kronbichler Triumphs In World Cup Slalom

SCHRUNS. Austria — Anni because storms and wind speeds of Kronbichler of Austria won her up to 130 kilometers an hour (80 first World Cup ski race Sunday, miph) made skiing almost impossi-She captured a slalom event after a ble. superb second run for a total time Men's Races Canceled of one minute, 38.35 seconds, Maria-Rosa Quario of Italy and Mal- men's downhill and slalom races gorzata Tlaika of Poland tied for scheduled for Saturday and Sunsecond with identical totals of t:38.54.

Kronbichler, 19, was the first Austrian winner of a slalom race since Annemarie Moser-Proell won in Piancaavallo, Italy, in 1979. She combined two perfect runs through a total of 111 gates, while Dorotea Tlalka, Malgorzata's twin sister, came fourth in 1:38.95.

Kronbichler overcame terrible weather conditions and a tricky course that forced many of the world's best women skiers to retire. Heavy snowfalls and pervasive fog led organizers to cancel a women's downhill bere Saturday.

Each of those who had finished in the top three positions in the three World Cup slaloms held earlier in the season dropped out, including Erika Hess, Perrine Pelen. Tamara McKinney and Christin Conper. Hanni Wenzel fell on the second run after clocking the second-best time at the intermediate

several times during the first run

In Wengen. Switzerland, the day were canceled because of poor weather. The downhill is rescheduled for Friday in Kitzbühel. Austria, and the slalom later in Garmisch-Partenkirchen, West

WOMEN'S SLALOM
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4. Irene Epple, West Germany, 78. 5. Christin Copper, United Stoles, 67. 6. Kranbichter and Mario Epple, 82. 8. Elisabeth Kirchler, Austria, 60. oint.

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SPORTS BRIEFS Falcons Dismiss Bennett as Coach

ATLANTA (UPI) - The Atlanta Flacons have dismissed Leeman Bennett as head coach. Bennett spent six years at the helm of the Falcons and was the most successful of the five men to coach the National Fontball League club in its 17-year history.

Bennett, a former Los Angeles Ram assistant, took over in 1977 fol-lowing three straight losing seasons for the Falcons. His regular-season record was 46-41 with three playoff teams. But the Falcons lost their last three games this season, including a playoff game to Minnesota.

2 Indoor Records Set in Ottawa

OTTAWA (UPI) — Billy Olson posted a world indoor pole vault record of 18 feet, 10¼ inches (5.75 meters) on Friday and Jane Finch of England set a world record in the women's 800-meter race in two minutes, 3.6 seconds at the Ottawa International Games.

Finch's standard for an A-class size track beat the old mark of 2:05.8 set by Leann Warren at the 1982 Ottawa games. Olson, an American, needed only five attempts at three different beights before erasing his own world mark of 18 feet, 10 inches, set last year in New York.

4 Share Lead in Los Angeles Golf

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Gil Morgan shot an 8-under-par 63 that included a bole-in-one to share the lead after Saturday's third round of the Los Angeles Open golf tournament. At 202 with Morgan were M. McCumber (a 65 Saturday), Lanny Wadkins (67) and Gene Littler (6 Morgan's ace. on the 173-yard seventh bole, came on a 5-iron shot.

George Archer, who made the 36-hole cut by a single stroke, had third-round 61 to tie three others at 203 - Arnold Palmer (a 68), fit round leader Fuzzy Zoeller (69) and second-round leader Gibby Gilb (71). Tom Watson was at 204, while Lon Hinkle, J.C. Snead, Andy No. and Keith Fergus were at 206.

King vs. Walsh in Classics Final

women players over 30.

SANTA ROSA, California (AP) -- Billie Jean King won the first th games en route to a 6-4, 6-4 victory over Rosic Casals, and Sharon Wa upset Wendy Turubull, 6-2, 4-6, 6-4, in Saturday's semifinals of the in gural tournament in the Women's Tennis Classics. On Friday Casals defeated Françoise Durr. 6-4, 3-6, 6-1, and Ki Beat Betty Stove, 6-3, 6-4. The new event, which ends Sunday, is

Drug Case Ends; Gerulaitis Cleared NEW YORK (UPI) — Tony Goble, the man convicted in a narcotics case in which the tennis star Vitas Gerulaitis was named, has been sentenced to a year in iail.

Goble was convicted last September of conspiring to purchase cocaine for \$144,000. The trial was highlighted by the testimony of a prosecution witness who named Gerulnitis as a possible participant in the scheme.

Undercover narcotics agents testified that they began following Gerulaitis last January. Defense witnesses said the agents tried unsuccessfully to set up Geraluitis for a narcotics deal, and that the tennis star was not charged.

LANGUAGE A Horde of Dangers

By William Safire

WASHINGTON — In a piece about the way the French were slowly squeezing Japanese imports through a small town near Tours, thereby protecting French markets from the influx of videotape recorders. I drew a parallel to the battle of Poitiers in 732, where Charles the Hammer protected Europe by "driving back the Moslem

In the Columbia Encyclopedia that moment of defeat for the Saracens is described as "turned the Moslem tide." I wish I had used "tide" because horde is surely peiorative and should not be used to describe a religion even when its members are assembled in large

"Perhaps you were merely making use of an archaic phrase to conjure up a feeling for the period of the eighth century." writes James Zogby of the American-Arab Anti-Discrimination Committee, giving me the benefit of the doubt, then adding the zinger: "Would you be toclined to use the phrase Jewish hordes' in reference to the invaders of Lebanon? Or the 'Christian hordes' which stormed the beaches of Normandy?

He's right: Hordes is a word with a history of treating opposing armies with contempt. It is rooted in the Turkish ordu, meaning "camp," and picked up an h in Polisb before

I will now drap hordes from my military vocabulary, using the word in its current "great assem-bly" sense, as in "hordes of shoppers returning Christmas presents" and "hordes of trate pupils demanding an end to the teaching

BE A linguistic hawkshaw; follow a strange phrase to its roots. "For years I bave used an expression," writes Nancy Montgomery of Washington, to describe a strange combination of people, obiects or events, calling it a duke's nixture. It never occurred to me that this was a phrase not in everyone's vocabulary until my new as-

sistant asked me what it meant." Where to begin? One hypothesis would be that a duke's mixture is a blend of rea, similar to the Foochow mixture which first introduced the mixture combining form in 1895.
 Blind alley, Look at all the dictionaries, push all the buttons, and nothing comes up.

Second hypothesis: Dukes is a slang term for bands, as in the boxer's challenge to "put up your dukes." Could not the duke's mixture be a tossing together from the dukes, or hands? No. Try again.

Hypothesis No. 3: James Buchanan Duke, after whom Duke University is named (Trinity College was willing to change its name for \$40 million). The father of Doris Duke, he made his fortune in tobacco. He and his American Tobacco Co. acquired such firms as P. Lorillard and R.J. Reynolds to set up the "tobacco trust" until Theodore Roosevelt busted it into four companies in 1911. Did James Duke have a tobacco mixture that died long ago but whose ghost lingers in the language?

Jackpot. The Duke is James Duke. When the teams of researchers working for the Dictionary of American Regional English asked, "What do you call a dog of mixed breed?" two people in Oklahoma one in California, one in Iowa and one in Wisconsin replied: "A duke's mixture." (Others said mutt. mongrel, pot-licker, pot-hound, muthound, soup hound, bone eater biscuit eater, cur and suck-egg dog.)

"Duke's mixture was once very popular as a tobacco mixture for use in 'rolling one's own' ciga-rettes," reports Fred Cassidy, director-editor of DARE. "It came in a small white cloth bag with a drawstring and was advertised with cowboys on horseback rolling cigarettes with one hand. This was part of a campaign to make cigarettes seem a masculine type of smoke.

"Used most generally, a duke's mixture can mean any sort of mis-cellany," concludes Professor Cas-sidy, "with somewbat unfavorable implications. I doubt that Duke's mixture is still made nowadays. The Marlboro he-man smokes a manufactured cigarette."

Thus, fellow hawkshaws, do blind alleys and cockamamie hypotheses lead to the sources of our expressions. (OK, to avoid bordes of lazy curiosity-seekers: Hawkshaw was the name of the detective in an 1863 play by the English dramatist Tom Taylor, and was popularized in the United States by cartoonist Gus Mager in the comic strip "Hawkshaw the Detective.") New York Times Service

On the Trail of a Nigerian Pop Star

By Jason Berry nal Herald Tribuni

PARIS — People who write bi-ographies, to paraphrase F. Scott Fitzgerald, "are not like you and me." They devote long stretches of their lives to reconstructing the lives of others. They search through files of yellowed newsprint and old letters, prod memories of those close to the subject. If the person about whom the book is written still breathes (and isn't hostile to the project) long sessions with the tape recorder mean longer days turning transcripts into prose.

In the case of Carlos Moore, the subject of his book, "Fela Fela: This Bitch of Life," is a most uncommon man. Moore, a black Cuban who defected from a job in the Castro government in 1960, is a Paris-based journalist who has written extensively about Africa. He was working in Nigeria in the late 1970s when he met Fela Anikulapo-Kuti, the country's best-known pop star.

Fela is an outspoken critic whose albums since 1977 form a running revolutionary protest about political events in Nigeria. He is also a practicing polygam-ist. The chapter euphemistically titled "My Second Marriage" recounts his 1978 wedding to 27 women in a single marriage ser-

When Moore first approached Fela about the book, the musician balked. "He didn't want certain things said," Moore recalled. But then he called Mother."

Fela's mother, Funmilayo Anikulapo-Kuti, was a pioneering leftist who played an instrumental role in securing political rights for Nigerian women. In 1977, when soldiers of the military regime then ruling Nigeria raided Fela's bome, she was thrown out of a window and died soon thereafter from the injuries. By the time Moore had completed much research in 1981, he was disillusioned by Fela's resistance. Then, Fela says, Funmilayo began communicating with him in a series of spirit visitations through one of his wives. Fela opened up to Moore and the rush of reflections turned into a torrent.

"It is a purely spiritual book," Moore says, "and charged with meaning about his future, He had to depend on my discretion."



Fela sometimes appears with "spiritual powder."

Moore interviewed the musician's childhood friends, political figures, even people with the Ni-getian secret police. The emphasis is on Fela, however, and as such the book will disappoint serious followers of African pop music, still waiting for the first book on the many idioms that have flourished since the early

In the introduction Moore writes: "Where does one pinpoint the critical moment of raw truth about someone so immensely charismatic that al times he finds himself hemmed in between the flattering image of his countless fans and the scornful depiction of his detractors?

The author devised a three-dinsional narrative: through Fela (as he sees and explains himself), about Fela (as he is seen by those closest to him) and on Fela

(as seen by the author.)
Fela's personality — by turns humorous, sentimental, politically impassioned, abrasively macho - resonates through each page. A series of interviews with 15 wives runs the gamui from sadness (his original wife) to bizarre comedy (a later bride discussing the complicated sexual schedu-

Several of the girls gravitated to Fela as teen-agers from trou-bled backgrounds. Their reflections will probably outrage feminists. "At first," one says, "I just took him as a father or as an older person who would take care of me. Then later, he seni for me and be said I should love him. It was after making love that I started to love him."

In the mid-70s, as Nigeria emerged from the Biafran secessionist civil war, Fela grew tocreasingly critical of the military government. He bad also become a cult figure and folk hero, particularly among the masses of poor people moving into Lagos. His

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the city's ghettos. In 1977 troops attacked the compound, clubbed Fela senseless, beat his "queens," and raped several. The attack, as recounted by Fela but more so by his wives, has a searing impact in the book. One year later, Fela married his "queens."

The rigid masculine code by which Fela lives emerges from the narrative less as an expression of his ego than in response to his familial and cultural background. His mother, whose influence was strong, got along poorly with his father, a stern Christian educator who whipped him often. Fela's deeper story, a riveting cultural theme, is rooted in the heritage of Yorubaland

Although not overtly stated. his polygamous unions are a pro-test of the encroachment of Westem values and a defiant retreat from his father's religion to Yoruban traditions. Polygamy is an ancient tribal custom. Fela's religious beliefs are absorbing qualities which add depth to the man and his music.

Yoruban polytheistic beliefs embrace spiritual visitations by departed kinsmen. Moore him is of Yoruban descent, and his historical sketch of Yorubaland gives the book a sturdy framework. Shawna Moore, Carlos's wife, wrote early and concluding chapters from the point of view of Fela's mother, a spirit looking back on life.

Moore wrote the main narrative in Fela's voice. This extended-family approach to literary ar-chitecture has few precedents, but Moore has credentials: a doctorate in ethnology, fluency in four languages, and a history of Cuban involvement in Africa due out later this year. "Fela Fela" was first published to French, but Moore bought back the rights after a dispute with his Paris publisher over distribution to Africa. Allison & Busby of London has published the English edition, now available to Nigeria.

Moore is dead serious about the spiritualism running though "Fela Fela." "I believe Africa is the last bastion of spirituality. The essence of man is spiritual not material, or advanced weapons. If Africa is not preserved the cradle of mankind - I don't

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TAIWAN POSTCARD The Pirates of Taipei

By Michael Weisskopf Washington Past Service

TAIPEI - Past the steamy noodle stalls and pungent herbal medicines at China Street bazaar, a sleek "Apple II" home computer can be had for one-fifth of its price in the United States.

Keep walking down the musty market lanes, and you can find un-believably low prices for designer jeans, French cologne, epicurean brandy, Book-of-the-Month Chib favorites, bikinis and motor oil all courtesy of the pirates of

The cut-rate goods are fakes knocked off by commercial bri-gands who plunder the world's elite trademarks, patented know-how and copyrights.

If imitation is the sincerest form said. of flattery, then Taiwan surely scales the peaks of blamey.

Counterfeiting is so widespread and slick it takes an expert to de-

tect a fraud. Thus consumers glad- eral imitations. ly lay out at least two-thirds less for names such as Puma, Ronson, Cartier, Head, Johnny Walker Black Label, Kodak, Samsonite, STP, Johnson and Johnson, Westinghouse and Herman Wouk.

"There isn't a legal pair of Levi's porations. in town," snapped a U.S. businessman, Henry Weiner. "The fakes handed reco apart, you'd have to be nuts to buy small fines.

beyond the shores of little Taiwan. What makes big foreign firms such as Revlon see red — Weiner calls it "the annual \$100 million rip-off"
— is piratical exports of the famous frauds made here.

Take the dilemma of Union Carbide's Eveready battery, which is copied and sent abroad by the millions by no less than seven Taiwan

No one in Africa and the Middle East understands counterfeiting," lamented Union Carbide lawyer Paul Hsu. "If a fake Eveready goes bad in an hour, the buyer nevfake happens to work, we still

Though quality is no hallmark, Taiwan," he said,

books and chemical products de-scribed in published patents — are almost indistinguishable from the

ministribution of the characteristic of the chases down pirates for corporate victims, held up two bottles of VO 5 shampoo with a challenge: "Which one is real?"

"The bottle is the same," he replied to his own question. "The smell is the same. They make the same suds. Only your hairdresser can tell."

Even such expensive items as the cloned Apple II computers are less reliable and durable than the true model, according to Apple's salesman here. The fakes can only be used for a couple of bours at a time without risking a melidown, he

When electronic copycats began taking a sizable bite out of Apple's Asian market, the U.S. firm struck back with a court order seizing sev-

But legal experts know the difficulty of rooting out pirates from Taiwan's safe harbor. Laws are weak, if they exist at all. Judges tend to side with "the little guy against faceless multinational cor-

Even counterfeiters caught red-handed receive such light sentences are so close, and the prices so far that they can convert them into

Weiner ought to know. As local which has encouraged economic distributor for Revion products, he development with unfettered capitalism, finally seems ready to pull neighborhood cosmetic counter to it its sails a little. A number of laws are being considered to deter But the real lost treasure lies far piracy and better protect foreign ewond the shores of little Taiwan. manufacturers. One proposal would set a maximum five-year jail term and \$4,000 fine for convicted counterfeiters.

"This [piracy] is not only illegal, but immoral," said Vincent Siew, director general of the Board of Foreign Trade. This will ruin our image and reputation. It will be bad for our trade development. When we develop into a developed stage, and other countries come to copy our products, what will be our feeling?"

Until new laws go into effect, however, the big-name companies er buys another one. So my client seem unhappily resigned to the loses a market share. But if the feeling summed up by one of their representatives:

"If you don't get copied in iwan," he said, "then it means some counterfeits - clothing, you're no good,"

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